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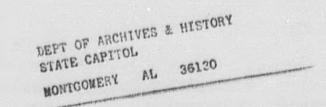
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# Elba's 1989 Christmas Family THE BENBOWS

Gena

Melissa - 10

Emilee - 7 Alex - 2

Jeff 

# BRAINSTORMS

We have had enough rain for a while and wish The Man upstairs would let up on us a while and send the rest of the water to our friends in South Florida. They are suffering from a severe water shortage and really need these

We are a bit insulted at the mail bombs which killed a judge in Birmingham, Alabama and a lawyer in Savannah, Georgia this week. We, or course, didn't know either of the men, so our concern is not personal. Our concern is twofold . . . first, we have a concern for our fellow human beings; second, we see here a challenge to our cherished American freedoms. We have always had people who had no respect for the laws of man, but in the United States we have previously had enough respect for human life that we didn't kill and maim people to enforce our disagreement. We hope the experts can find those who are responsible and put an immediate stop to the deadly actions.

do so, we want you to save a penny any way you can (legally). Also this is Shane Burks, Melissa Kelley, Jamie Cook, and Ashley Lamb. (Helping pressed the need of updating the a free country with supply and demand controlling the market; therefore if Santa was Judge Marion Brunson) the government decrees a company can't cut the price of smokes by marketing them on a low budget (including no advertising), we could do the same for a car maker or the oil companies, etc. Also these same folks are fighting constantly to get advertising of tobacco products banned completely. What do they really want?

We received one of our regular magazines in the mail Monday and a major thing on the cover this month is the question "Is the universe right- or left-handed?" We haven't even opened the cover to find the answer, nor have we ever even thought about it, but as soon as we get this issue of the paper out, we are gonna find out the answer!

We bought two books recently. One was on the non-fiction best seller list and the other is a little paperback of nonsense called "How to Talk Southern". We put these down on the table beside our favorite recliner, knowing they are safe because our last child at home is not an avid reader even though we keep encouraging him. Well he did get interested in one of our one theft of property, one running books, but not the one we would have liked. He has twice buried his nose red light, two suspended driver's liin the book on Ssouthern slang . . . . and ya'll, neither of us needs any help cense, one speeding, one DUI, and

Our inability to use the proper words got us in trouble again last week. Before the ink was dry on the paper, we had a call asking why we were ripping up the Chamber of Commerce (or words to that effect). We explained that while we aren't above criticizing the Chamber, we were just using this incident to vent one of our personal pet peeves. The other is between city hall and the Chamber . . . . our dogs ain't in that hunt!

Merry Christmas to all and to all a good night!

### Letters To The Editor . . . . Rescue run to Beaver Dam Apts. (9:58 a.m.); Rescue run to Blue

but was unable to stop it."

As a taxpayer who works hard for

the money, I think it is time to

dump the incumbents. Let's bring

them home and make them live un-

der the laws they have passed. If

for no other reason, they should be

Teague Says AHSGE

Scores Continue To

Scores from the administration

uation Examination continue to be

high," said State Supt. of Education

The more than 40,000 Alabama

juniors who took the test are the

sixth class to be required to pass

culmination of the Basic Compe

The graduation examination is a

the graduation exam prior to receiv

ing a high school diploma.

Dr. Wayne Teague

F. Wallace Bromberg, Jr.

brought home because of the pay

a big success this year because Elba the White House. I can promise won the state championship for the that every Representative and Senafirst time. But behind this champi- tor will come home explaining how onship team were supportive cheer- the spending was inescapable, and

As we traveled through the season to places such as Cottonwood, Niceville, Silas, Vernon and Green Hill, the Elba fans were there in bug numbers. In heat, rain, cold, the Elba fans always

showed up. It's a great feeling as a player when you enter the field and see as many people on your side as on Sincerely, your opponents'. No matter where we played or how far we traveled the Elba fans always showed up: this is a great tribute to our team!

Being a senior football player, I noticed things such as this more than I ever had; and without the town's great support, the season might not have been as special as it really was. I'm very honored to be a part of Be High a championship team and wish the

ship ring; but, regardless the entire town is a champion! I just wanted to say thanks to the of the Alabama High School Gradmany fans for your support and especially everything you've done for us during the season. Thanks again for making it so

entire town could get a champion-

Sincerely, KEVIN MATTHEWS

Dear Editor:

I am astounded at the nerve of tency Education prorgram in which Congress in voting itself a pay tests are administered in grades three, six and nine. The BCE proraise. Of course, that is the prerogative of our elected officials. They gram is designed to ensure that have the right and authority to set high shoool graduates have ac their own pay. What they seem to quired certain minimum skills behave forgotten is that we, the elec- fore they are awarded diplomas. In addition to passing the grad torate have the absolute and unassailable right to remove them from tion examination, students must also earn the necessary Carnegi In the real world, pay raises are units required for receiving a diple

the result of positive performance. ma. The performance of congress stinks. They have shown absolutes ing rates is good news." Teagur no fiscal restraint. When chal- added, "since our goal is to have all lenged on this, they point to the regular students pass this test of White House. This is both moronic minimum competency prior to their and dishonest. Spending takes exit from high school.



Cigarette consumption is on the decline in the U. S. and we ain't sad. We Santa Claus makes annual visit . . . . to the Elba Elementary School, San- board, told the board that no rate in- corded that can be installed at residon't like to meddle in the other person's business, but if anyone were to ta surprised the children when he dropped by the school around lunch time crease to the city is expected in dences or businesses to check the ask us, we would advise them to stay away from the smokes. However we last Friday. The school was already alive with excitement with parties about 1990. Prescott also stated that he flow of electricity. wouldn't ourself and can't understand why organized groups opposed to to begin and the anticipation of school being out for the holidays. Several had been told that "things look smoking are fussing when a tobacco company markets a cigarette at a discount price. We heard an anti-smoking woman on the tube complaining known. Pictured are (Top to Bottom): Austin Booth, Santa, Demetrius er. that "it wasn't fair". Folks we don't want you smoking, but if you choose to Caldwell, Wesley Kelley, Katie Crowe, Shannon Winters, Melissa Taylor. Board member Bill Brunson ex- owner.

### W&E Board Hears Favorable Report On Elba's Water Quality The Water and Electric Board It was noted that billing, bookkeep-

met in city hall on Tuesday, De- ing procedures, payroll, and word voted to pay monthly bills totaling system. \$10,684.54. Also noted was the arrears totaling \$227.89. The board's to get the "experts" to study the comment was, "That's the lowest it matter and recommend a system to has been in a long time." Full time employees were given need to follow through on their rec-

a \$50 a week, one time, raise by the ommendation. board as has been the practice in Mayor Fred Moore and Jack

Prescott, members of the AEC the approval to purchase a graph re-

processing could be done much Board members reviewed and more efficiently with an updated The board unanimously agreed be used. Expressed also was the

PAGE 2

The installation of fire plugs was discussed by the board. It was stat-Chairman Mickey Murdock in- ed that the water and electric deformed the board that Elba's water partment installed plugs, but the had been found to be "excellent" by fire department decided where they were to be located. The board gave Mayor Moore

> This device would be very helplem - the city or the home/business

# Elba Police

ginning Tuesday, december 12, inluded the investigation of the following incidents: one theft of property, one burglary, and one The following arrest were made; one criminal mischief. Following are daily activity re-

TUESDAY, DEC. 12 Possible breaking & entering @ city electrical department (1:07 a.m.); Fire @ 1105 Guyton St. (7:36 p.m.) Fire @ 1105 Guyton St.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 13 Rescue run to Beaver Dam Apts. Flame Cafe on Jackson St. (11:22 The '89 Elba football season was place in the halls of Congress, not a.m.); Rescue run to residence on residence on Claxton St. (6:05

FRIDAY, DEC. 15 Rescue run to Humana (2:06 p.m.); Fire @ residence on Jackson St. (6:09 p.m.); Alarm @ Elba Packing Co. (7:12 p.m.).

SATURDAY, DEC. 16 Rescue run to residence on Hwy. 87N. (2:47 p.m.); Routine ac-

SUNDAY, DEC. 17 Fight @ residence on Old Samson rd. (2:22 p.m.); Grass fire on Co. Rd. 47 (3:17 p.m.).

MONDAY, DEC.18 Rescue run to residence on Taylor Mill Rd. (8:10 a.m.); Routine

#### Christmas In Elba **Committee Lists Holiday Events**

DECEMBER 21 THRU 23 - Live Nativity Scene - On Court Square -Sponsored by Elba Ministerial As-DECEMBER 24 - Christmas Eve Candlelight Tour - Drive through to see display of paper luminaries on all curbing in Brookdale Subdivision - 5 - 7 p.m.

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# New Brockton Mayor Told: The Buck Stops Here

made concerning police activities

and I'm sure there are many more -

was received from the investigating

The meeting was called to order Councilman Lee seconded the at 7 p.m. on December 18 by May- motion. or Jim Driskell. All councilmen were present Britt Lee voted for the motion and with the exception of Councilman Councilmen Bud Goodson and Laymon Tindol.

Mayor Driskell asked Commis- do so until the matter had been fulsioner Crittenden if his comments ly investigated. pertained to the Foster incident and During a discussion following Crittenden replied in the affirmathe vote, several accusations were Tuesday, Jan. 2 and Jan. 16. The mayor informed Crittenden by Councilman Cole, Councilman

spoken with the Alabama Bureau present. of Investigation as late as 2 p.m. Commissioner Crittenden once (Monday) in reference to the mat- again addressed the council stating They told him they had nothing citizen hoping to see the city counto report at this time, but that as cil take some positive action in the soon as the investigation was com- Foster incident. would be given to him.

Crittenden said that if he could, authority, but you can't delegate rehe would like to address the council sponsibility. The buck stops here! later in the meeting. Councilman Charles Cole asked "you are responsible for the actions p.m.) Wreck on Hwy. 84W. (8:572 if he could have the floor at that of your children. I'm not pleased-Cole told the council he had a with the tone that we are hearing." One was by Jimmy Truitt and one council that a stand needs to be tak-

by Truitt's wife. Both pertained to en in this matter and that it should the Foster incident which occurred be for that which is right and not for what is popular. At that point, Kenneth Fuller, Councilman Goodson stated that New Brockton City Attorney, he was in favor of taking action in asked Cole if he could raise a ques- this matter, but after a full report Fuller said, "I know nothing agency. He stated that if the investiabout this incident. If this has gation proved the officers guilty of

something to do with the incident the accusations made against them, wouldn't it be better to give it to the he would certainly vote to fire them folks that are investigating the incident rather than the council. They the citizens present took issue with are going to have to evaluate the re- Goodson's stand but it remained the port when it comes in Cole replied, "They'll get it, but Councilman Cole advised the I request to read it here. Fuller said, "Well, you want to vestigations other than the DA's

request that you want to read the into this matter. newspaper and you read them anytime you want to.' Cole answered, "I want to read in this incident should be suspendman, you read it!" Councilman Cole then read the Truitt statement to the council. After reading the statement, from the citizens present. Cole told the council that it was about time they stood up for what is right and protect this city. Cole then made the motion that

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Elba Clipper You'll Be Glad Once again a large crowd greet-ed the New Brockton city fathers as cide whether it is with or without asked for by the mayor and received from Councilman Cole. Meeting adjourned!

Other action taken by the council was as follows: Councilmen Charles Cole and \*\*\*Approved paying of bills totaling \$2998.44. \*\*\* Approved officers elected by Ralph Medley voted against. the volunteer fire department. Coffee County Commissioner Councilman Cole asked that the Damascus Crittenden was first on mayor vote and break the tie. \*\*\*Approved a one time/one the agenda requesting to address Mayor Driskell refused to cast a week pay raise for city employees. vote stating that he did not wish to No one seemed to know the amount of last year's raise, but voted for it to be the same this year.

and the others present that he had Lee, and several of the citizens Dr. Roger B. Winston, Jr. Receives Hardee Award

\*\*\*January meetings to be on

Dr. Roger B. Winston, Jr., a prothat he was there as a concerned fessor in the University of Georgia's Student Personnel in Higher Education Program and head of the Department of Counseling and Human Development Services, has rehere, Mr. Mayor. You can delegate ceived the Melvene D. Hardee Award for outstanding contributions to student affairs work in You are the daddy of this city and higher education.

> the award since its inception in 1976. He was honored by the Southern Association for College udent Alfairs during its recent ar nual meeting in Tampa, FL. The Hardee Award recognizes significant research and publication, leadership in professional orizations, and outstanding contriions to student personnel work that has been acknowledged throughout the profession.

Winston is the 10th recipient of

Winston has written or edited six books in the college student affairs field; he is the author of more than 30 professional journal artides, 20 book chapters, more than 50 scholarly papers and presentations before professional societies. He currently is associate editor of the Journal of College Student mayor that there would be other in-Development and recently was named Senior Scholar by the American College Personnel Associa-

Councilman Lee stated-that he felt that the police officers involved Winston, a native of Alabama, holds an bachelor's degree from ed until the investigation was com-Auburn University, and a master's plete. This would not mean that the and doctorate from the University officers were guilty or innocent of of Georgia. He joined the UGA fathe accusations against them. The statement drew applause Once again the mayor was asked

to vote and break the tie, but his stand remained the same. At this point, there were several Officers Jackson and Gilbert be other heated remarks between pended during the investigation \ councilmen and between counciland that the mayor and Councilman men and citizens. Almost all the conversation was once again about police activities.

He is the son of Mrs. Brunease Winston of Elba, Alabama.

Merry

Christmas

Mercy, Mercy, Sakes Alive

Lisa Renee Is Twenty-five!

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W.A. "Alvin" BELL SR.

LILLIE MAE DYSON Mrs. Lillie Mae Dyson, age 79,

a resident of Gordon, Ala., formerly of Coffee County, passed away Dec. 11, 1989 in Panama City, Fla. Funeral services were held Dec. 16 at 2 p.m. at the Grant Chapel A.M.E. Church, Ashford, Ala., Rev. A.V. Green officiating. Burial was in Grant Chapel Cemetery, Hammond Funeral Home directing.

Survivors include one daughter: Mrs. Pearl Weeks, Gordo, Ala.; one sister: Mrs. Leola Priest-Jamaica, N.Y.; one brother: William Howard, Wilmington, Del.; brother-in-law, Joseph Priestly, Jamaica, N.Y., one granddaughter; one great-grandson;

> Mrs. Eloise Baxter, age 97, of Gordon, Ala., formerly of Enter-

prise, passed away Dec. 16, 1989, in Dothan Extendacare Health Cen-Funeral services will be held Dec. 23 at 2 p.m. from the Antioch Baptist Church, Rev. Walker officiating. Burial will be in Antioch

Cemetery, with Hammond Funeral Home directing. Survivors include one son: Jimmy Baxter; one daughter-in-law Mrs. Edell Baxter, both of Gordon, Ala.; sister-in-law, Mrs. Ardic Safford, Gretna, Fla.; 11 grandchildren, 7 great-grandchildren.

WILLIE PEARL SPURLIN Willie Pearl Spurlin, age 80, of Elba, died Dec. 16, 1989, at Elba General Hospital. Funeral services were held Dec. 18 at 11 a.m. at Hayes Funcral Home Chapel, with Rev. Dr. Robert Kirkland officiating Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery with

Hayes directing.
Survivors include one brother: Alex Spurlin, Elba. ADA MAE EDMONDSON Mrs. Ada Mae Edmondson, age 91, of Elba, died Dec. 12, 1989, at

Elba General Hospital. Funeral services were held Dec. 14 at 2 p.m. at Hayes Funeral Home Chapel, with Revs. George Sedberry and Doug Dortch officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery with Hayes Funeral Home directing. Survivors include two daugh-

ters: Marguerite Collier, Montgomery; Martha Martin, Elba; onc daughter-in-law - Nell Edmondson, Elba; son-in-law - James Mar tin, Elba; seven grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren.

JOHN HENRY HALL Mr. John Henry Hall, age 67, of Elba, died Dec. 17, 1989, in a Dothan hospital. Funeral services are being held today (Thursday, Dec. 21), at 1:30 p.m. at Collins Chapel A.M.E. Church in New Brockton, with Rev. Andrew Williams officiating. Burial will be in the Hardshell Ce metery with Sconiers Funeral Home of Enterprise directing.

Survivors include his wife: Mattic Pearl Hall, Elba; one daughter: Gladys Marshall, New Brockton; one brother: Wilbur Lewis Howell, N.J.; three sisters: Lucille Edwards, New Brockton; Gracie Young, Elba; Carrie Davis Howell, N.J.

BETTY JO SMITH Mrs. Betty Jo Smith, age 63, of Elba, died Dec. 15, 1989, at her Funeral services were held Dec.

17 at 2 p.m. at Hayes Funeral Home Chapel with Revs. John Smith and Donnie Maddox officiating. Burial followed in Whitewater Church Cemetery with Hayes di-Survivors include her husband:

Hugo W. Smith, Elba; one son: John Winston Smith, Valdosta, Ga.; two daughters: Geneva Qandaila Santor, Augsburg, W. Germany; Jackie Lee Bryan, West Point Ga.; four brothers: Howard Turney, Seattle, Wash.; Henry Turney, Conway, Ark.; Herman Turney, Heber Springs, Ark.; Harold Turney, Marion, Ind.; five grandchildren.

> MARY BELLE "Molly" PARKER Mrs. Mary Belle "Molly" Parker, age 87, of Foley, Ala., died Dec. 17, 1989, at South Baldwin Hospi-

Funeral services were held Dec. 20 at 2 p.m. at Hayes Funeal Home Chapel, with Revs. Dr. Doug Dortch and Andy Kennedy officiating. Burial followed in the Evergreen Cemetery with Hayes direct-

Survivors include three sons: Wayne Parker, Warner Robins, Ga.; James W. Parker Jr., Gulf Shores, Ala.; Jack Parker, Wetumpka, Ala.; one daughter: Doris Kennedy, Gulf Shores, Ala.; 18 grand-children and 18 greatgrandchildren; several nieces and

Mr. P.J. Young, age 57, of Elba, Mr. W.A. "Alvin" Bell Sr. passed away Tuesday, Dec. 19, passed away Dec. 8, 1989, at West

1989, in Flowers Hospital, Dothan. Florida Hospital in Pensacola, Fla., Funeral services are being held as the result of an automobile accitoday (Dec. 21), at 2 p.m. from the Shady Grove A.M.E. Church, with Home Chapel in Opp, with burial dent. His death came just a few days short of his 84th birthday. Rev. Freddie Flowers, pastor, and Mr. Bell was born in the area Rev.W.P. Thompson officiating. County. near Red Level, and he and his Burial will be in the church cemefamily lived in the Basin Community of Elba for many years before tery, Hammond Funeral Home dimoving to Atmore. He was a re- recting. tired welder for L & N Railroad.

Survivors include his wife: Sara Annis Farris Bell; two sons: W.A. Ruby C. Young, Elba, two daughters: Miss Sara Young, Elba, Mrs. "Sonny" Bell Jr., Austin, Texas; Ruby Levens, Brantley; one son: John M. Bell, Jacksonville, Fla.; Edward Young, Elba; one adopted one daughter: Frances B. Kirby, son: Bernard Coleman, Anaheim, La Crosse, Fla.; one sister: Eron Calif.; one brother: Robert Young, Bigelow, Spanish Fort, Ala.; two Elba; two sisters: Mrs. Rushia Culhalf-sisters: Glenda Bell Minatrea, ver, Elba; Mrs. Mattie Pearl Mar-Hernando, Miss.; Gloria Bell shall, Birmingham; daughter-in-Smith, Meridian, Miss.; Douglas law, Norma Young, Elba; son-in-law, Gene Levens, Brandley; three of Kentucky, 10 grandchildren, six grandchildren. great-grandchildren, nieces and

HOLIDAY CLOSING

To observe the Christmas holidays,

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SATURDAY, DEC. 23 (Drive-in)

and

MONDAY, DEC. 25 (Bank & Drive-in)

Merry Christmas!

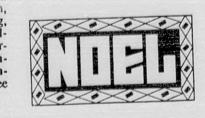
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Mr. Harvey Harlon Blair, age 68, of Kinston, died Dec. 19, 1989, in Baptist Hospital in Montgomery. Funeral services were held Dec.

Survivors include his wife: Fannie Mae Davis Blair, Kinston; four daughters: Katreen Moore, Marga-Survivors include his wife: Mrs. ret Hataway, Brenda Moore, all of Elba; Linda Hanchey, Panama City, Fla., six grandchildren,

in Friendship Cemetery in Coffee





Sonya Helms conducts hearing test on kindergarten student. Observing test is Dale Crowe, Elba Elementary School Principal

Elba Elementary Kindergarteners received hearing screening by Mrs. Sonya Helms, speech therapist. Each child was screened for pure tone sound reception and for tympanic membrane functioning. Parents were sent results of the screening. If parents or guardians have any questions concerning the screening of their child, they may contact Mrs. Helms at Elba Elementary School, 897-2814, on Monday, Wednesday or Friday.



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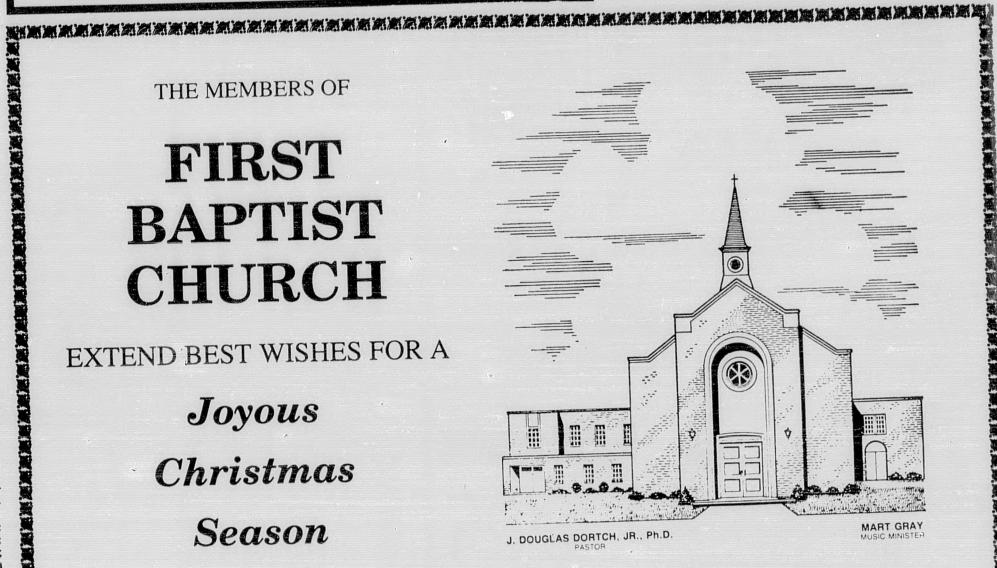
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We will be participating with the Elba Ministerial Association in the presentation of a Live Nativity Scene on the east lawn of the courthouse on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 22 and 23, 7:30 - 9:00 nightly. Plan to make this a part of your personal or family Christmas celebration.

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# ,....

Miss Pope To Marry Mr. Smith On New Year's Day

Mary Hollingsworth of Elba an-

unces the engagement and forth-

ming marriage of her daughter,

he bride-elect is the grand-

She is a 1980 graduate of Elba

gh School and a member of the

The prospective bridegroom is

rmy Reserves. She is employed

Art's Music Shop in Dothan,

of Columbus, Ga., and the late Mr.

Howard Miller, and the late Mr.

and Mrs. James A. Smith Sr. of Co-

He is employed by Heath Oil

The wedding will be an event of

All friends and relatives are in-

vited to attend the wedding and re-

Miss Johnson To Marry

Melissa Faye Johnson and Tim-

othy Carroll Flowers will be united

in marriage Saturday, Dec. 23, at

two o'clock in the afternoon at Elba

First Assembly of God on Highland

All friends and relatives are in-

Note Of Thanks

ing Home and Elba General Hospi-

Also a special thanks to Dr.

my husband, BUDDY CLARK.

God bless you.

Mr. Flowers On Sat.

Jan. 1, 1990, at three o'clock in the

of Hasidell Nelson of

and Mrs. Lizzie Mae Pope

late Mr. Roland Pope of

Smith Jr. of Jack.

lumbus, Ga.

Co. in Enterprise.

ception to follow.



Mr. Smith And Miss Pope

The Holiday Syndrome Angela Hughes

County Agent Ah, the holidays! Holidays such as Christmas and New Year's Day are often joyous times. Family ties are often strengthened, friendships are deepened, and one's life direc-

tion regained However, for some people, the holidays are times of frustration, loneliness and increased stress. Such people experience the "holidays syndrome." For them, the holidays season is not "the season to be How can you tell whether or not

you are being afflicted with this dreaded syndrome? Consider the vited to attend. following symptoms and their "clinical" names: \*Before holiday gatherings in my home, I see to it that my house looks absolutely immaculate (Holi-

perfectomania) \*During holiday gatherings in my home, I insist on making all thanks to the staff of the Elba Nursnecessary preparations myself, including food, entertainment, seat-tal for the excellent care they gave ing and cleanup. (Holimartyrmania) \*I tend to wait until just a few days before the event to start planning for a holiday gathering. (Hoiprocrastomania)

\*Nearly every holiday season, I sadly reflect on the fact that holidays are never what they used to be and/or ought to be. (Holiexpecto-\*I tend to become lonely, frus-

trated and/or depressed during the holiday season. (Holisick) Are there ways to prevent or control the holiday syndrome? For example, if you are experi-

ence holiperfectomania, decide that you will keep your housekeeping expectations realistic this year. Attend only to normal house-cleaning duties during the holidays and complete major tasks such as refinishing the wood floors or cleaning the carpets at different times during the year. Relax and enjoy yourself and

Suffering from holimartyrmania? This year, ask friends and/or family members to participate in the planning and implementing of the activities. They could contribute by suggesting games you might play or by bringing part of the

Involve each member of your houseold in the process, too. Hold a family council to discuss holiday activities and to assign tasks. How about holiprocrastomania. The antidote is to plan well in advance. With your family and/or riends, make a detailed list of evey necessary item and activity, right own to extra napkins if needed. Decide on a target date for the comletion of each task. Be sure to allow sufficient time for each task to

Those who suffer from holiexpectomania or who are holisick isually see a wide gap between what they think should happen over the holidays and what actually does happen. They can either change their belief about what should happen or alter their behavior so that it more closely approaches what they want to have happen. Best wishes as you vaccinate against the "holidays syndrome."

News From Sandra Coffey County Agent

HOLIDAY BOWL GAME PAR-One of the great holiday events is the seemingly endless string of collegiate bowl games. Friends gather at each other's homes to cheer on their favorite team while eating a variety of foods, ranging from snacks to meats to desserts. However, to avoid possible food poisoning, with its unpleasant symptoms of abdominal cramps,

vomiting and diarrhea, proper plan-

ning and preparation should be fol-

And to avoid having to cook and miss part of the game, buy party trays or desserts from the local deli or grocery store. But, remember, instead of buying one or two large trays, buy several small platters, and while one is placed out for the guests the others are safely stored

As the food diminishes, refill the trays from the refrigerator or replace the food at each quarter of the football game so you won't miss any of the action. Never allow foods to remain out more than two hours at room temperature - - this will promote bacterial growth. you must cook, select foods which can be prepared prior to the holiday get-together to avoid being

afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Smith Jr. in Jack, in the kitchen on game day. Remember the golden rule of food safety: keep cold foods cold (below 40 degrees F.) and hot foods hot (above 140 degrees F.). With these few hints and a little planning, you can have a safe holiday party and, instead of spending time in the kitchen, you can spend it with your friends watching the

> DON'T PLAY SANTA TO THIEVES December is a month to spread holiday cheer to loved ones by giving gifts. But, be sure you don't let your holiday cheer fall into the hands of thieves.

A car full of packages on the seats or floor for example, is an open invitation to thieves. Follow ese suggestions to help ensure that your gifts will fall into the hands of the right people: \*Always lock your door even if you'll only be away from the car for

\*Be sure all windows are closed. \*When you leave the car, put is locked. Don't tempt thieves by putting your parcels on display inside the car.



Mrs. Pat Clark's second grade class gets into the spirit of Christmas by preparing a fruit basket as a gift for some needy person or persons. Pictured presenting the box of assorted fruit is Mrs. Clark, members of the class, Mrs. Renita Marler and Mrs. Anita Grimes. Mrs. Marler and Mrs. Grimes are from the DHR and will see that the basket is properly distributed.

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help people's hearts grow by leaps This Christmas season it's been and bounds. my privilege to introduce my son You don't have to be a Grinch to John to one of my favorite Christ-

THE ELBA CLIPPER DECEMBER 21, 1989

mas stories - - How the Grinch Stole Christmas. Aside from the hear the good news. But you have to open your hearts just the same. You have to join hands with fellow birth narratives of the Bible, I don't believers, and ponder anew the know of any story that captures the message shared with the shepherds. meaning of the moment better than Dr. Seuss' classic tale. of great joy which shall be to all Do you remember the Grinch's people. For unto you is born this glaring infirmity, his sickness that day in the city of David a Saviour caused him to look upon the people of Who-ville with spite? His heart which is Christ the Lord." was two sizes too small! Consc-Come! Open your hearts to the gosquently, the Grinch could not stomach the joy and enthusiasm with pel in enthusiastic worship. Christwhich the Whos greeted each mas is so Christmas season. "I must find far more. mas is something more, something some way to stop their Christmas Christmas In Elba

from coming," the Grinch growled. So disguising himself as Santa, the Grinch proceeded to pilfer all their trappings of yulctide glee. He took their stockings and their presents, their Who-pudding and roast beef. The Grinch even took all their Christmas trees. But when the Grinch perched

himself on Mount Crumpet to hear all the sobbing, much to his surprise, Christmas came just the same. The people in Who-ville, both tall and small, joined hands and were singing without presents 5-7 p.m. That's when the Grinch learned the lesson that Christmas must be

more than presents and wrappings Christmas was something more something far more. They say the Grinch's hear grew three sizes that day. That's my favorite part of the story. I get mot vated as a pastor to see the same thing happen in the church. I can't think of a better aim for any church's Christmas worship than to

Elba United Methodist Church To Have Christmas Eve Memorial Service

The Elba United Methodist Holy Night" sung by Mrs. Mark Church will have a Christmas Eve Holt. Holy Communion will be served Memorial Candlelight Communion Service, beginning at six o'clock in by the Rev. George Sedberry against a background of massed red thre evening on Sunday, Dec. 24. poinsettias. Tall red candles clus-The service will begin with a tered in each window will be lightprelude of organ music by Mrs. Kenneth Baker, which will include ed, in a special time of rememmany of the beautiful old Christ-brance, by senior acolytes Marsha mas hymns as well as "Gloria in Lewis, Amy Baker, Amilee Sedber-

ry and Carey Clark. Mrs. Marion Brunson will sing
"O Come O Come Emmanuel" and
the program will conclude with "O attend this special Christmas celebration. Excelsis Deo.

Coleman Mortuary To Have Grand Opening

manager while his brother, Mr. Bu- ties, also offers pre-arranged funerford Coleman, is assistant manager. Other personnel at the mortuary, which has served the public in the Elba area for more than 30 years.

Virgil Coleman Mortuary will includes Mrs. Jessie J. Coleman, secretary; Mrs. Nadine White and Mrs. Gussie Adams, usherettes; o'clock in the afternoon. The mor- Mr. Marion White, assistant directuary is located at 703 Adams St. in tor. The complete funeral service, in-Mr. Virgil Coleman is owner/ cluding a modern chapel and facili-

> The public is invited to attend the grand opening celebration.

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passed, Jack, Wanda and Jud Cor-

ley entertained several young col-

lege students. These young men are

members of Delta Chi Fraternity at

Fillmon, Amy Baxley, Toni Mallo-

ry, Nancy Lindsey and Kim Par-

daughter, Mattie Lou Goodson; \*\*\*Through the Keyhole, with

three sons: Charles A. Goodson, Mrs. Robert Cannon: Goodbyc was

Rev. William C. Goodson, and said to a nice little boy who had

\*\*\*Around the Town, with Nellie when his mother, Mary Morrison,

I. Dorman.

B. Martin: During the holidays just arrived last week. Mike has been

been visiting here for three months

visiting with Gwyn and Robert

\*\*\*Annie Jim Folmar will receve a

BS degree in Home Economics

from Auburn University Dec. 18.

TEN YEARS AGO **DECEMBER 20, 1979** \*\*\*Herbert D. Wise was elected president and chief executive offier of The Greenville Bank on Monday, Dec. 10. He is a native of Elba and graduate of Auburn Uni-

\*\*\*Mrs. Mattie May Goodson, age

90, of Rt. 1, New Brockton, died Dec. 15 in the Luverne Nursing Home. She is survived by one

Troy State University. \*\*\*Mrs.J.A. Galimore of Westside Church was hostess at a steak dinner at her home on Sunset Blvd. Guests were members of her Sunday School class: Tammy Finder, Velvet Brewer, Lisa Grimes, Paula

> TWENTY YEARS AGO **DECEMBER 11, 1969** \*\*\*Army Pvt. 1st Class Ricky Mack, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs.

George Mack, Rt. 3, Elba, was assigned Oct. 29 to the 18th Aviation were honored on their golden wed-Company in Vietnam, as an aircraft ding anniversary Sunday afternoon \*\*\*Howard Lasseter was re-elected tertained with a tea given at the president of the Coffee County Ex- home of their parents at Tennille. tension Council at their annual planning meeting in Enterprise. \*\*\*Miss Darleen Hill was 16 years hardwood floors, paneled walls. old Wednesday and in the evening Only \$1500 down and \$45 per her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond

entertained at a dance at the \*\*\*Mrs. G.L. Pinckard and son Jer Opelika-Auburn Elks Club. The hosts were assisted by Mr. and Mrs. ry spent Friday in Troy with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Whit-Basil Whitman of Elba, grandparents of the honoree, and other \*\*\*Friends regret to learn that Bob Folsom had a painful hand injury recently when trapped in a corn

service to the government including

battle-line service in World War I

and 39 years in the postal service.

THIRTY YEARS AGO **DECEMBER 10, 1959** \*\*\*S.S. Edmondson is pictured with Postmaster Robert Cooper, as he was presented with a certificate of commendation for a lifetime of

Merry Christmas Gift For Family?

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. \*\*\*The Curtis basketball team won their ninth game Tuesday over Goodman, 26-21. Leading scorers for Curtis were Donnie Nelson and Sale Ed Cowen. The Curtis boys were cheered to vistory by cheerleaders Christine Brooks, Decie Boutwell

Sarah Foley, Judy Wilson, Catherine Hudson, and Corine Cowen. FORTY YEARS AGO **DECEMBER 15, 1949** \*\*\*Mr. and Mrs. M.L. Tillmar when their sons and daughters en-\*\*\*For Sale: Beautiful new, 2-BR

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\*\*\*Social Activities: Mrs. Gid Parks and daughter Jane of Florence are visiting Mrs. Parks' mother, Mrs. Pearl Brock. \*\*\*Miss Frances Nell Boutwell and Mr. Stanley Prior were married Monday afternoon, Dec. 5, at the Baptist pastorium, with Rev. O.M. Fox officiating.

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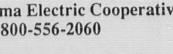
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# JOB SPOTLIGHT

Chapel High School, works at Collins' Taxidermy in Wilkinstown.

Taxidermy is the mounting of tro-

preserve their hides. Fish are preserved with a preserve powder. Jason is undecided about whether or for Christmas presents. not he wants to become a taxidermist. He got this job because he enjoys hunt- Dear Santa Claus, ing and he is good friends with Mr.

#### Drug Workshop Is Attended By ZC Leaders

title of a workshop attended by Coffee lots of partying after I become a senior County drug coordinator Mrs. June of '90. If you will give me some good-Brown and Zion Chapel's McGruff in- looking ladies, I will promise to them structor Mrs. Shirley Goodson. The workshop was sponsored by the Alabama State Dept. of Education, Di-Wallace Daniels vision of Student Instructional Services P.S. "Peace" - Drug Education program. The work-

form the educators of the procedure for maica. assist, high-risk students. Students ed to give will be accepted. Thank you! Your Homie, Tobi Lowry alcohol or sex, and who experience peer pressure make up a high percent- Dear Santa, grams such as this everyone works toyear. I hope that the elves are well.

LOCAL PEOPLE BEST SOLVE LO-

### SGA Christmas Project

By Wendy Chancellor The elementary Student Government Association sponsored a project that suggested each class bring canned goods. These goods were donated to edy families in the area. Each class that had 100 percent of its members to bring a can of food would receive a treat. All the SGA repesentatives encouraged their class nates to bring the goods, so that their class would have a chance to earn a

### Semester Exams In January

the vocational school in New Brockton.

Thursday, the second day of testing, he

The Mer



# Sixth Graders Present Christmas Play

By Ashley Wise

Semester exams will be given the second week in January. The first day of testing begins on Wednesday. The test being given first is the sixth-period test, following by the fifth- and fourth-period.

Vocational students will not attend the yong attend a school in New Brockton.

By Jeffery Flowers

Mrs. Sessions sixth-grade class presented the play Merromoppets for the gives the dolls to the children. The play is about the Kirby family coming to visit Aunt Martha and Uncle Oliver. Again Martha is upset because she has nothing to give the children for the yong attendance of the Zing and Reporter - Britley Black. The chorus uniforms Shana Vance; Chucky Elliot Liptotic Shana Vance; Chucky Elliot Liptotic Mark Shange Brage.

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# **CHORUS OFFICERS**

mas in a Small Town." While singing "Holiday Hoedown" they danced, and Ronda Pridgen sang a solo in "Christmas in a Small Town." Members of the chorus are Thursday, the second day of testing, he gins with the first period, followed by the second- and third-period testing. At 1.45 the students will resume a regular seventh period.

The Merrimoppets are a doll family. They decide that Aunt Martha can give them to the children. They leave her a clue and she remembers the doll family so the students will resume a regular seventh period.

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with a 200 watt amplifier. Also I want

I don't want much, just one new car

plus I need some gas money. Just leave

the money I can buy whatever I want

"Capture the Magic" is the theme of

the state project for the Future Business

ERI A does a project each month. The

December project is to pay the dues for

or, Mrs. Rachel Bryan, joined the Elba

the Jaycees' Christmas project. The

club purchased five 30-second adver-

isements to be played on "Radio Day."

They participated in the Christmas pa-

Wesley Messer and Wesley McWa-

ters were the chairpersons of the float

committee. FBLA members Vanessa

Balavere, Melissa Johnson, and Kelly

Sanders also were on the float commit-

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rade by entering a float

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# show. The animals do not have to be stuffed immediately. They are skinned, cleaned, frozen and mounted as people. Senior Class Members Write Letters To Santa Claus

ZIONCHAPEL

HIGHSCHOOL

I'm sure you already know that I sey have been very good this year. (Well, Jason works weekdays after school most of the year). In reward for my from 3 until - . His job is to skin deer, good behavior, I would like a diamond phire and diamond rings. squirrel, raccoon, fish, fox, wild game pendant to match the ring my boyfriend is giving me.

A tennis bracelet and a new set of iamond earrings; a well-furnished apartment to accomodate my living needs and a convertible Corvette to acomodate my travel needs.

Love, Shea Stinson

You have been like a father to me, Santa, there will never be another.

Dept. of Education in Montgomery.

As you already know there has been dollars (hey, you gotta put something in wardrobe, a tennis bracelet, a pair of Dept. of Education in Montgomery.

Mr. Richard Thomason, director of the Bureau of Student Services, Louisiana State Dept. of Education at Baton

As you already know there has been my stocking - the wagon won't fit).

As you already know there has been my stocking - the wagon won't fit).

And don't forget the diploma.

Bring happiness to all families over of waiting I do believe Heather Thomas of waiting siana State Dept. of Education at Baton
Rouge, was the morning speaker, and should be found under the tree. Michael Carpenter, PhD, Prevention In In order to prevent damage to the teaching us not only books -but about Cobb County paint job you can ust leave the Lam- life also. Schools in Atlanta, Ga., was afternoon borghini in the back yard. In the stock-

gether to make the "drug free" slogan a What I want for Christmas is for my mother and my older sister to stop

peaker. ing you can leave a little something, say \$300 million and two tickets to Jaidentifying, and ways of being able to Any other surprises you feel obligatage of all school populations. With pro-

The wish of those working for drug-fighting with each other. I also would free Coffee County schools is to get like to have another ring or just some more educators, parents, community clothes. I especially want a new car. I leaders, churches, and students working also wish you a very Merry Christmas. together to fight the drug problem - Love, Melissa L. Johnson

When asked for a comment both Santa, all I want is to be alive, so I Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Goodson said. can shuck and jive! I also would like to Ferrari with a gubil Fonic stereo sys-"We want everyone to be DRUG- spend the day with my girlfriend Mi-Yours truly, Steven Cole

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year of service TELEPHONE: 897-2981 would like you to send me someone this year. I believe I'll get them.

tall, dark and handsome with a face like I want a 1990 Corvette, a beach I want to include a little I want to include I want to include a little I want to include I want to in For the bare necessities I would like Your friend, Russell Gibson

a million dollars and a couple of sap-Thanks, Santa - I'll leave you some All I wish for is the ability to know milk and cookies. Love always, Teresa Leverett As unbelievable as it may seem I leaded gasoline. Thank you,

have managed to be a good little girl Please provide well for my family

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The not asking for much - all I really chael Waldon. because I have been knowing you all my life.

ward me for staying out of trouble a lot of time with Chuck Daugherty. I through another year, a brand new would also like for Dawn Shaw, my "Strategies for Intervention" was the All I'm asking for is more fun and shiny, red, Iroc Z should do quite nice-best friend, to get what she's been want-

> I've tried to be a very good boy and I Dear Santa, have - you can ask all my friends and teachers.
>
> I have been really good this year, test to go in the Army.
>
> For Christmas you can give me a Jamie Duncan So I just want the following few well-furnished place to live when I things: a little red wagon, 45 milion leave for college. I also want a new Dear Santa, the holidays. Bless our teachers for Sincerely yours, Shann Cotton

paper, 'cause I've worked very hard on friend Kendall. I'd like a red Mazda Miata sports car. A new ring wouldn't be bad either!

Sincerely, Michelle Oglesby Ronda and I could also use all the anwers to next semester's Government Dear Santa,

Kirby Lawford during Christmas. Love, Dawn Shaw

I've been a very good boy so far this year.
First I would like a gleaming black and national immunity from all speed

I would like a black Pontiac GTA for Sunday driving; throw in \$25 million a year for the next ten years, a fully equipped gym, a two-story beach house in Port St. Joe, and a four-story in good old Jack, Ala. And peace all over the world. Your Homie, Todd Rugg

year and I think I did a good job. So here is my list. First I want a brand new 1990 Lam-Locklear and Samantha Fox.

Steven Berry Dear Santa,

I am writing my request for Christmas presents from you this year. I would like two gold chains, two gold rings, and a solid gold watch. Also, I would like for all of the origi-F.B.C. (Sharon, Lashonda, Denise, Dear Santa, Kim, Camille, Saberina, Rena, Angela, Matalia, Veronica, Latecia and Caterina) to get what they want. But most of all I want my big brother Dennis to Love always, Pam Evans

I have been extra nice this year. For Christmas I would like a black convertdollars (tax free) and anything else I may want throughout the year. Thanks Santa. Tate Gatlin

I've been fairly good this year, and I only want a few gifts. First, I want candy and Randy in my stocking. Second, I want a talking George Bush doll. Third, I want leashes of a few). Last but not least, I want a

Tom Cruise and body like Billy Huff- house and a million dollars. That cash, so I can buy my brothers some- surance

everything that my girlfriend's best 2 BUKU 4U, John Parish P.S. And a year's supply of superun-

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa Claus, would like is to be able to be with my But even though I've been good, I'm family and of course my boyfriend Mi- not asking for much for Christmas. All I want is world peace, memorable time But, if you really feel you should re- with my family, and to be able to spend knows what I mean.) Love you, Angela Campbell

Dear Santa, year. Would you please bring me a dou- cabin in Hawaii and California. T I have been a very good girl this fall, a new sports car, a typewriter, a 35mm camera, an onyx ring with a dia- I love you, Santa. Ronda Pridgen year. Well, I've tried to be anyway.

First of all, sneak into Mrs. Shaw's

35mm camera, an onyx ring with a diamond, a new wardrobe, and a brand house and put an "A" on my term new Chevy stepside truck for my boy Dear Santa, friend Kendall.

I know I'm asking for a lot, but I

The only Christmas gift that I wish for is wisdom and understanding. If I

I have been better than usual this I want most to be with my boyfriend year, which still isn't too good, but I'm Dear Santa, getting better.
First off, I'd like to get the old gray dog running again, but if it can't be salvaged I guess I'll settle for a 1990 jet lion dollars to start my Christmas Day black, ZR-1 Corvette. An allowance off. And then time to spend it all. of \$25,000 a month would be greatly

her to find me under her tree!

Your #1 Homie, Cade Shiver Dear Santa, What's up? Nothing here, but thinking of what I want for Christmas and so far it's only a ticket to Hawaii, a BMW, and a winning lottery ticket. Also I want a new home in Los Angeles, and a nice, intelligent good-Yours Truly, Calvin Newson

under my tree would be nice - or for

these things, please just let me pass bag, mink coat, a silver Mercedes, and borghini Countach, a million dollars, pardons from all criminal activity, a Well, St. Nick, I have been a good Miss Makeup Doll to play with when brand new 1990 diesel rig with sleeper, and an Alpine super system with 18-inch woofers. And I want Heather

M.C. I do what I do and I do it right, I the holidays are over.

Most of all, I wish family and dear friend.

But Santa you and I both know there But Santa you and I both know there family and dear friends to be healthy comes a time in every man's life when and for there to be love, joy and peace That's about all I want - anything he wants to share his love. So, St. Nick, everywhere. else you want to surprise me with - go all I ask is to be with my ladies. I don't I love you Santa! want no material things because I want Stephanie Goodson them to love me for me. For my mom, she deserves the world. Now I'm leaving you with this I have not been ve

> Word up, Derrick Coleman For Christmas I would like a new truck and a year's supply of gas. I would also like to have a Browning shotgun and a Remington 7440 30-06 and I would like to have a muzzle and a to put my name on the box. But most of all. I will give all of this up for my sack of switches for my girlfriend Va-

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By Pam Evans
The senior class at Zion Chapel
recently wrote letters to Santa Claus

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Dear Santa,
I would like a few things for Christ
mas since I've been exceptionally good
of my very own. Lots of clothes and a
good girl this year! As my reward I
mas since I've been exceptionally good
of my very own. Lots of clothes and a thing. Since I've been so sweet through

Since there is no radio in this car, 1 the years, send about ten more big would like a pull out tuner, CD player,

Don't forget, Santa, a whole lot of I would like to have a new Ferrari gas money, a fake LD, and Paula Abdul ad a new stereo system for my room. to go wih it. And I would like a S-10 Chevy truck Sincerely, Ashley Wise and a Camero with a turbo hood. I also P.S. Don't forget - \$1 million, taxwant eight thousand dollars and a trip free, unmarked bills.

I am not going to ask for much, but \$1,000 in a suitcase under the tree. The please leave me two million dollars tax car I would like is a red Fierro or a Corfree so that I ena buy things that I need. vette it doesn't matter which one you Thanks, Gary Grissett I would like to have a new truck and Dear Santa,

all the money that I need. I wish you I would like to have a check for five could help Gary through basic training million dollars in my stocking. If I get and let me be able to pass the ASVAB I have tried to be a good girl this

FBLA News coat, diamond ring, bracelet and matching necklace and earrings. Leaders of America (FBLA). The ble wide trailer to put at Troy State next - nal thing I want is a little Miss Dressup

receive this gift I do promise to use it to

Patrick O'Neal Sanders

Well, what's up? Nothing here, but just chillin out, I guess. Well for Christmas Iwould like a couple of mil-Next, just let me be with my sweet appreciated. And to find Paula Abdul heart (Eric Culver) during this Christ-Also I want all of my relatives to come home to see me. And I feel that since I have been a little angel all this year, I expect all of this and more Thanks, 2-Sweet Kim Pearson

Dear Santa, Hello! How are you and all of your reindeers? I have been a very good girl this year and I hope that I get lots of urprises for Christmas this year. I have tried my best to be good this P.S. Santa, if you can't get me any of I am also asking for a leather handa few million dollars to buy other things I would like to have. also would like to receive a Little Most of all, I wish for my caring

> I have not been very good, I've been great! You know I'm not the one to take things I don't deserve, sol would like a I want a Mustang GT, eight 12-inch woofers, Alpine radio, three 200-watt amps, \$5,0(x) and a month's supply of Love ya, Keith Moultry P.S. I would love for you to give my Mom a big diamond ring, so I won't have to give her nothing. Don't forget

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# Seniors' Letters To Santa

ALL WE WANT FOR CHRISTMAS Dear Santa, Once again the senior class mem- this past year. I would like to have sevbers have put on our thinking caps to let Santa Claus and everyone else eral things for Christmas. Some of them might not fit into your mas. All agree that we have been good and hope that on Christmas in your sleigh. morning we're all happy in one way So, Santa Claus, when you're making a list and checking it twice, be sure you read these very carefully.

What I want for Christmas is: to win the state championship in basketball, a new car, money, clothes, and for the Christmas holidays to last forever. Shane Spurlin

I would like \$25,000,000 then I can get what I want. I would also like for ill the teachers to give me all A's for each six weeks so I wouldn't have to do school work. Yours truly, Mr. Zachary Tillis

Deidra Lowrey Dear Santa, I don't know what I want. Jamie Bass.

Goldcard with no limit.

I would like to have the opportunity to go to church more. I want a 1988 used car that is mine, an IBM computsomeone special in the next five years.

Dear Santa, For Christmas I would like a little dollars a month and for Alabama to raise at work. lose the Sugar Bowl. But since all of Love, Stacey Ward these except the last will not come true, peace on earth will do. Merry Christ-Millie Lott

I want a 300 ZX, a million dollars, eternal life to have time to spend it all, for Auburn to keep on beating Alabama and a 93-room mansion and I also want a 1990 Porsche 924 turbo cabriolet. Wheatstraw - Danny Belcher

Dear Santa, I've been the sweetest little girl this Love, Greg Wright year. If you come across a Prince Charming somewhere, please send him Dear Santa, this way and also, please bring me Love, Kristy Bane

Yours truly, Chris Armstrong Dear Santa, want a toy train, a new car, preferably a Mazaratti. I wouldn't mind having live with my mother and brother. I have even though it's too big for your sleigh. my own house so I wouldn't have to been wanting to win Publisher's Clearing House for a real long time. If I couldn't have that I would like to win the Florida Stsate lottery:

Kawisaki Ninja 750, and a Corvette

know just what we want for Christ-sleigh. For instance I would like a '64 Impala frame. You couldn't bring that bring: two solid gold 10K rings, a checking account of my own, and a new shotgun or rifle.

> hope I get all the things I want, includ-Yours truly, Carlos Magwood I've been real good this year and all I wanted for Christmas was a ring, until I wrecked my car recently. Now all I want is a new car.

dollars in crisp new bills, a new Corvette, a Nintendo system, and most of Keith Henderson all for everyone to be happy! Thanks, Audi Fudge I've been as good as it is possible for

me to be. I think I deserve a Mastercard Dear Santa, like a new leather jacket. I would like woofers, and a brain for Karen. my sister to come down and visit me. I want a raise, a new basketball and a year's supply of gasoline. Love, Kenny Sweat

Dear Santa, tauger top), a helicopter, clothes, emeer. I want to go to the best college, get into the Air Force and be married to rald ring, something special for my mom. Oh, and you can take Gena with you! Ha! Love ya! Candi Stokes

Dear Santa, This year for Christmas I want a diamond-and-sapphire ring, louvers, floor the Chippendales as servants, a million mats, a bra for my car, clothes and a Dear Santa,

> Dear Santa, I want a white Porsche (944 turbo). jet ski, 4WD Lamborghini, and design- Dear Santa, underwear. Also, Mr. Claus, "no cratches on the car!" Thank you very much. Michael Manning

I want a 10K gold championship ring. I want a sports car. I want a lot of clothes, a train set and some more

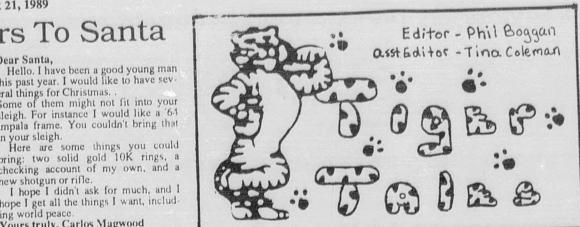
year. I would like for you to bring me a spending account, and a 500 thousand coat, clothes and a blue topaz ring. Oh, most of all I would like lots of surprises. I would also like you to bring my daddy, mother and sister a surprise too. Please bring me some clothes, a new stereo, a Mitsubishi theater system, a Shelia Nelson Dear Santa,

I would like a gold watch, clothes and lots of surprises. Also, just to be with all my family and everybody to be Dear Santa, happy. Also, let everyone realize the real meaning of the Christmas season. By the way, a new car would be nice Just a small one will do. Ha!Ha! Please bring my stepmother and dad-Love, Tammy Hodge

Ask Santa to bring you the best:

an electric heat pump and cash

back, too!



## . . . And More Letters

Dear Santa,

Fabiola Torres

James Brown. Peace.

Angie Dixon

Chubby X Willie Flowers

Corvettes, one for me, one for Chad.

Please bring me an "I hate the New Kids on the Block" T-shirt, and please

bring us the right to go to the bathroom

All I want is one million dollars. Also,

I want you to bring me all my crazy

High baseball season, 3 - A promising

wardrobe and a hightop fade. Free

I have been a nice young lady. I want

What I want for Christmas is: for Petey to get some help with his haircut, a Christmas I would like a red low-rider What I want for Christmas is a 10K ring and for the school and Athletic Remington 100 automatic 12-gage, end championship ring, a stereo, 20 million Club to pay for it, and last but not least, four 15-inch kickers with an Orion a brain for Karen Ellis.

For Christmas this year I would like I have been a very good person this a white Lamborghini, 10K campionship year. Please bring me a new Eagles the Antwerp Cathedral. I want my '69 Chevy done. I would ring, one million dollars (cash), 15-inch tape that I can keep, a matching set of Jay Grider

I would like to have my whole family together for Christmas. I would like Spence Ziglar have money clothes, jewelry. And if I want a 911 Porsche (white with a I can't get the clothes and jewelry, mon-Rachelle Boothe

> I want for my family and me to be IROC. happy this Christmas. I also want an Jamie Whitworth opal ring, clothes, and money. Christina Bradshaw

I would like a new Nissan 300ZX, a want you to take me home for one day Ayanna Smith 3K ring and someone to wash Toby's to see my family . . . and . . . my video camera-(Sony 8mm). Regina Free

This Christmas I would like to have lots of clothes, jewelry, and money. Kathy Fuller My Christmas wishes for this year year for the class of MCMXC (1990) include world peace, keeping a Repub- 4 - O yeah, I want you to get a new

lican in the White House, and one million dollars in unmarked bills. Matt Morrow I would like a bright, new yellow I think I have been a good girl this Corvette, a ten thousand dollar a day

> Damon Jones I want a Ford four-wheel drive pick- Dear Santa, up truck, long wheel base, clothes and I have been a very good boy this 40 more years.

Sincerely yours, Rex Campbell Sawyer Brown as lead singer. Also, Dear Santa,

This year for Christmas I want all the people of Elba to remember the true

Sawyer Blown as lead singer. Also, please bring Spence a brain and an Eagles tape that he can finally hold on two people of Elba to remember the true

Sawyer Blown as lead singer. Also, please bring me some clothes, jewel-good! But all I want is my two front ry, gas money, tapes and a telephone. And, Santa, feel free to take all of my ry, gas money, tapes and a telephone. Thank you meaning of Christmas - the birth of our little sister's "New Kids on the Block" Saviour. The second thing I want is Rapture! The third thing I want is to Chad "I guess I bumped myhead" want. Merry Christic Chad "I guess I bumped myhead" Calista Fleimng live happily ever after with Jay John- Tindol son, doing what God wants me to do.

he world, Keith Henderson, and whatever my mother is willing to pay for. And most of all, I want everyone to have a happy Christmas!

Dear Santa. I have been a good girl this year, so I think I deserve lots of presents. I want my car back, lots and lots of money, more money, and . . . more money! Thanks, Santa. Melony Byrd

As you well know I have been a fan yours for years, and I thought I would list a few things I think would be ther or sister in January, for every one to be happy and for everyone at the Dear Santa, nursing home to have a wonderful Love, Bobbie Layton

mia and Florida. Please bring everydy else what they want too. Kirby Lawford

For Christmas I want clothes, monv, and a trip to Europe. Cynthia White

want my niece Jesse to have her best hristmas yet and my parents and whole family to have great holidays. I hope everyone is careful and hap-Merry Christmas! Katie Rushing

I want to inform you that I have al-

st everything I need but there are a

Thanks to your good work in the past

and my parents great buying habits, I

can't think of too much to ask for. I

w things I want. I want to say stuff Dear Santa, world peace and happiness, but t's kind of hard for you, so I'll make embly (set of 2/5000 Turbos) . . . a

Betsy Mae Magwood oble and Cooley/Zildjian snare drum. Ibanez guitar sponsorship. P.S. I heard you play bass. When you Your favorite kid, Ryder

Dear Santa, ald like most is peace of mind!

# How Christmas Is Spent Around The World

As the Christmas season quickly approaches, the sounds of jingle bells and reindeer hooves can faintly be heard.

In Rome, from sunset of the 23rd until sunset of the 24th, the people fast. his is a season of joy and happiness. A huge banquet follows the fast. Inwith loved ones gathered around the Christmas tree. This time of year, with Their gifts are drawn from the Urn of cople sipping eggnog and exchanging Fate, which holds one gift for each famfts, is known for bringing out the ily member. But have you ever wondered how are about the same as ours in America, sild" in everyone.

In Holland where it is said that San-

Christmas Eve there is a great proces- spend the 4th. In Switzerland Christkindli - the around the world.

Christ Child - delivers trees and gifts to

In our country this season is spent stead of using evergreens as decora-

ta Claus originated. Christmas is cele-brated on the 5th, but early on the orning of the 6th he distributes can-here. The Chinese usher in Christmas s, toys and treasures to all the chil- Eve with great displays of fireworks In Sweden presents are hung on the ... In Australia it is different than here

car that runs, a 10K gold championship trimmed with black, S-10 Chevy, a tree and wax candles are placed at the in our world. The weather during their In Belgium St. Nicholas comes on 4th of July, so their gifts are usually ex-Dec. 6 and rides through the cities and towns on a white pony, giving toys and Christmas dinner at noon. Usually the candy to all the good boys and girls. On rest of the day is spent as we would sion of hundreds of children leading to . It is interesting to learn how one of themost special holidays is spent

I want a Volkswagen Bug with no

a herd of dead goats and please bring

I think I've been very good. I do all

my work and my husband has been

good too, so bring us both something

I want a pair of snakeskin cowboy

four pockets full of money and I want

the fellows to go out and have a good

I would like a 10K gold state 3A

championship ring paid for by the

school, a cordless telephone, a few

clothes, lots of money, a new full size

What I want for Christmas is a car,

I would like to have a Corvette, a lot

ble wide trailer to put at Troy State next fall, a new sports car, a typewriter, a

35mm camera, an onyx ring with a diamond, a new wardrobe, a bra for my

car, and a brand new Chevy stepside

clothes and to marry Jackie Stoudemire

blazer (preferably black) and an exemp

tion from my semester exams. Eagerly

Michelle Jackson

Reggie Horstead

# Merry Christmas Everyone

I have been a very good young man. Dear Santa, Corvette and give me his worn-out Christmas.

coloring books. I would also like for All I want: 1 - First, I want you to

> Dear Santa, This year for Christmas I would like only a few things. First of all I would tle in my name. some money to add extras to my truck.

a 1990 Corvette, a big dinner for Christmas, two holes in each ear, plenty of clothes and to see 1990. Plus - one

> Oh yeah, you can bring me a doll il you want. Merry Christmas

Ernest Brooks, E.B. Dear Santa. ave my girlfriend forever.

set (all gold), clothes and a Bible. I didn't ask for more - next year I'll

ask for more.

Sylvia Richards

For Christmas I'd like a gold bracelet, a new radio and speakers for my car, and for everyone to get what they

Please bring me some new clothes, money and a heater for my car. Danielle Kirkland

P.S. I'll leave the cookies on the table by the tree. Your Faithful Believer

In Japan the customs of Christmas

hristmas is spent in other areas of the since Christmas was introduced by In China Lan Khoong-Khoong,

# . . . And More Letters

Eve been extremely good this year, Two already received my gift from would you please bring my cousin a red so I'm expecting a lot of goodies for my parents, but unless I come up with Christmas.

These are just a few of the things I

some money soon, I'm going to be in a financial bind. I not only owe the bank. would like to have: a diamond ring, lots 1 now owe my parents. So please send of clothes, a puppy, and a little niece. some money, before I have to sell my Tell Mrs. Claus and all your reindeer parents' gift to pay the bank and my parents back. Thank you. I said hello. O yeah, I'll leave you some Mike Booth friends because I really miss them. I milk and cookies.

Hi Santa, For Christmas this year I For Christmas I want a hope chest, a would like for you to bring me a car. new car, a Nintendo, a horse, and some That is, if it can fit on your sleigh. Also, I would like to have plenty of you to bring my mommy, daddy, and clothes. If you don't mind, bring me promise to provide for all the lovely Billy some candy, and bring Dwayne some jewelry two or three gold watch es and necklaces, one gold bracelet, and lots of money. Thanks Santa. I promise around the world! 2 - A great Elba Delisa Mitchell to be a good little boy this year so all s may come true.

> like to have my truck painted and the ti- Dear Santa, Second, I would like to have a few articles of clothing. Third, I would like spots, some "Back to the Future" sunglasses, tinted windows, headlight covers, and low profile tires for my VW I love you Santa. Heather Macon Bug, a new door for my bedroom and last but not least a pack of dead rats and

Please bring me new tires for my Joel and Aaron some toilet paper and a truck because I'm riding on air. Please round-trip ticket to the Dead Sea. let me and Melissa stay together at least Rob Kirkland year. All I want for Christmas is a Cor-Hurry up and bring me some chow! vette ZR - and my rightful place in Wade Hart - #76

P.S. Wayne wants a new TV Please bring me a new 1990 sports boots with spurs. I want a new style of What I want for Christmas is to be with my family and the best friend in Boy outfit, a 14K gold necklace, and clothing. I want my entire family to be home this year for Christmas. I want Santa, you can leave me whatever you

> What I would like for Christmas is a big mechanic tool set, a new-looking Dear Santa, red truck, \$500 in cold cash, and to

Please send me 1 - my two front teeth; 2 - the president's job with Congress' salary - 3 - a baby doll (Barbie if you may); 4 - peace among men and women; and 5 - Santa, take off those old Christmas cartoon reruns! #30 - Anthony Brooks

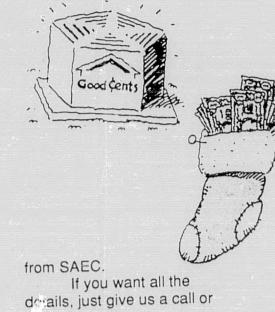
within the next five years. Merry For Christmas I would like for you to bring me a 1990 IROC, a diamondemerald ring, a bracelet and necklace Please don't let me down Santa. I be-For Christmas I want a black ZR-1 lieve in you. I have all my confidence in you. Thank you and please take care ld Trump's yacht and the deed to Cali- of my brother Keith Rodgers in Germa-

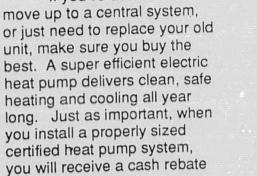
> Your little helper in the United Bridgett Cordell Rodgers For Christmas I want a car, clothes, a gold chain, unicorns and anything else you want to bring me.

Penny Randolph

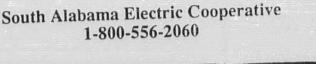
I would like to have a nice car for Christmas, preferably one in the \$50,000 price range. Please allow Chad

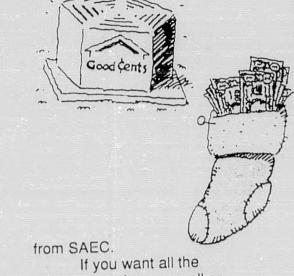
If you've decided to move up to a central system, or just need to replace your old unit, make sure you buy the best. A super efficient electric heat pump delivers clean, safe heating and cooling all year long. Just as important, when you install a properly sized

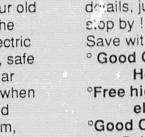












I would like many things, but not all f them are material. The thing I

not to be so simple minded. I have been a very good person this year and do de-

f money, to be a major stockholder in the Anheiser Busch Brewing Company I have been a very good girl this year. Would you please bring me a dou-

truck for my boy friend Kendall. I know I'm asking for a lot, but I have been very good this year! Sincerely, Michelle Oglesby I really can't think of anything I especially want for Christmas this year. If I were to name the things I'd like to have, it would be: 1 - a black lacquer finished water bed set; 2 - new clothes; 3 - my

family to be together for the holidays

and to be happy; 4 - Everyone to have a

Merry Christmas and safe holidays.

Thank you, Leigh Ann

For Christmas I would like some Please bring me some clothes, jewelmoney, clothes, GT Mustang converti-ble, and some nice jewelry. Also Iwant stead of leaving you milk and cookies,

1-800-556-2060 222-6157 - Andalusia, AL 137 NORTH COURT AVENUE ELBA, ALABAMA for all my teachers (with the exception SKINNER'S FURNITURE Call collect for free estimates N. Fctory St. Elba 897-2800 Sincerely, Jason Jones

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# THE PRESSBOX

BY RICKY MULARZ

back now, I guess maybe it only seemed cold. The Friday night after the impionship game it snowed over four inches in that corner of the state and last Friday night the wind chill was 10 below zero. Gosh, maybe when we were up there the local folks thought it was summer time!

#### TIGER BASKETBALLERS SEE RECORD GO TO 2-1

Friday night to unbeaten New Brockton and will carry a 2-1 record into this week's Dairy Queen Christmas tournament. The wins came over Louisville and Luverne, both important Area 3 wins, while the loss came at the hands of one of south Alabama's top teams. I know Coach Kennedy would have liked to enter the tourney with a 3-0 record; however, I'll bet'ya that three weeks ago he would have taken a 2-1 mark and said "Thanks."

If one word can sum up the play of the Tigers thus far in the season it will have to "hustle." The Tigers have played as hard as they could every single minute of all three games and have won over many of Elba's hardest 2-0, while Luverne slipped to 0-3 to please fans in the process. Bennie Daniels and Ronald McKinnon are terrors on both offense and defense, while David Rowe is steady at all times and Curry Jones and Jackie Stoudemire give the Tigers a solid 1-2 inside punch, as well as a threat to slam one home. Kevin Barnes has surprised fast break offense and surprised Lueveryone except himself with his three-point skills and all the rest of the verne by pulling out to a quick 12-4 and Tony Oliver added 15. players have stepped in when needed and come through in the clutch. I don't know if the Tigers have enough talent to challenge for a state gap to 19-12 by the end of the championship, but I do know that every time they hit the court the Tigers opening stanza, but the Tigers will give it all they've got and play like it was for all the marbles. C'mon out caught their second wind in the secfolks, the basketball Tigers are fun to watch!

### COUNTY CAGE TEAMS ENJOYING GOOD START

The high school basketball season is only four weeks old, but its already to creep back into the game; how- lin 3, M. Oliver 2, Hamilton 8, easy to see that all three county schools are headed for successful seasons.

Here is a quick look at what's going on... \*\*\*New Brockton has been the surprise team of the area this season by club with such returnees as Chris Lasseter, Robert Kilow and Malcolm Knox leading the way, but no one thought the Gamecocks would get off to such a fast start. Hey, maybe this is the year Coach Kinsaul will get his first win at the state tournament.

\*\*\*Zion Chapel has moved out to a 6-5 record and it looks like the New Brockton over Elba 77-69 Rebels are headed for their first winning season in quite some time. The Rebels have a lot of talent and one of the top players around in Calvin Newson, all the Rebs lack is that confidence that comes from winning. If the Rebs will get it in their heads that they can win every time they hit the court, the wins may begin to pile up

\*\*\*Kinston has won six of its first eight games and I guess that means that things are like always down in south Coffee County. Coach Terry Weeks has done an excellent job since taking over the reins last year and this year has developed the squad into his own team and the results have been very successful. If the sport is basketball, you can bet the Bulldogs the Tigers 77-69.

#### HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL AWARDS IN THE NEWS

This is the time of the year that many of the large daily papers select to play and made it look easy in the their annual "All-State" teams, and since the Elba Tigers won the state championship in Class 3A, all Elba fans took it for granted that the Tigers a quick 13-3 lead behind the play would be well represented on the various squads. Well, we were right! Wade Hart, Reggie Horstead, Anthony Brooks and Kevin Matthews have all made All-State squads, while Brooks was named the "Player of the Year" by The Dothan Eagle and the same paper named Coach Mack Wood

3:20 left in the quarter, but sudden-

as its "Coach of the Year." have been the official statistician for the Tigers for longer that I would play of Ronald McKinnon and Bencare to admit and while I agree that the honored players were well deserving, I am greedy, because I think we have some more players who also 21-20 by the end of the stanza. should have made the lists. Who? How about Jackie Stoudemire, Ronald McKinnon or Keith Henderson on the defense that held five playoff opponents to only 17 points. On offense I wondered out loud why players like Jason Grider, Rusty Bedsole or Keith Henderson, again, didn't make any

I know that everybody can't make all-star teams and that if everybody did the teams wouldn't be worth the honor. However, like I said, when you win it all you should at least dominate the class.

#### ELBA WILL BE PLACE TO BE FOR TOURNAMENTS

Area basketball fans will be in for a treat this year as three basketball tournaments will be held at the Tiger gym. This week is the first annual Dairy Queen Christmas Classic, while the second weekend in January will be the annual Coffee County Junior High Tournament and at the end of the regular season will come the Area 3 tourney. Yep, if it's tournaments you like, Elba will be the place to be!

# See'va at the tourney!!!! quarter to regain the lead for good! New Brockton, led by Malcolm

Here are other

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I was complaining back at Green Hill about how cold it was, but looking of now I guess maybe it only seemed cold. The Friday night after the

# Elba Tigers go 2-0 in Area 3 play

The Elba Tigers upped their stanza sparked by dunks by Jackie Area 3 record to 2-0 last Tuesday night when they outscored the Luverne Tigers 83-66, in Elba. The win upped Elba's record to 83-66 win.

The Tigers came out in an aggressive man-to-man defense and a and David Rowe added 11. Michael ond quarter and by the end of the half owned a 45-31 advantage. The Tigers cooled off in the Barnes 8, Stoudemire 12, Bogan 1

Stoudemire and Curry Jones enabled the Tigers to pull away and the reserves came in late to mop up the Bennie Daniels scored 23 points to lead Elba, while Curry Jones and Jackie Stoudemire both scored 12

Elba (83): Daniels 23, Spurlin 8 McKinnon 8, Rowe 11, Jones 12, third quarter and allowed Luverne Luverne (66): Oliver 15, Frank-

night in front of a packed house at up a 52-43 lead with 1:51 left in the New Brockton and when the smoke quarter. had cleared it was the Gamecocks intact as New Brockton outscored

The loss left Elba with a 2-1 record, while New Brockton upped its slate to 7-0 with the win. The Gamecocks came out ready of Malcolm Knox and Chris Turn-

ly came to life and sparked by the 77-69. nie Daniels rallied to pull within

New Brockton stretched its lead back out to 25-20 at the start of the second stanza and owned a 31-22 advantage with 6:06 left in the half, only to see the Tigers rally again to Robert Kilow added 10. grab the lead!

A layup by Curry Jones with NB 21 14 19 23 - 77 5:54 left in the half started the Elba EL 20 19 8 22 - 69 meback, while a pair of baskets by David Rowe and four quick oints by Kevin Barnes enabled Elba to go in at the half with a 39-

The halftime break came at a bad time for the Tigers as it slowed just what the doctor had ordered for the Gamecocks and New Brockton regrouped during the intermissi and came out smoking in the third

The Elba Tigers and New Knox and Chris Lasseter, outscored Brockton Gamecocks put their unbeaten records on the line Friday the Tigers 10-2 to open the stanza and later went on a 7-2 run to open

New Brockton continued its who escaped with their record still dominance early in the final stanza and moved on top 66-54 with 4:24 left in the game, and all but put the win on ice moments later when a basket by Rex Caldwell gave the Gamecocks a 72-59 lead with only 2:46 left on the clock.

Elba threatened late in the game opening stanza as they bolted out to and closed within 72-65 on consecutive three-point shots by Kevin Barnes, Bennie Daniels and David Rowe; however, New Brockton The Tigers still trailed 17-7 with never let the Tigers get any closer and at the final horn had the win

Ronald McKinnon and Kevin Barnes scored 14 points each for the Tigers, while Bennie Daniels added 13 and David Rowe scored 11. Malcolm Knox scored a game high 26 points for New Brockton, while Chris Lasseter scored 22 and

NB (77): Newsome 3, Turner 6, Kilow 10, Lasseter 22, Knox 26, Smith 8, Caldwell 2. Elba (69): McKinnon 14, Jones 9, Daniels 13, Barnes 14, Rowe 11,

## Elba B team ups record to 3-0

The Elba Tiger B team claimed a pair of wins last week to enter the holiday break with a perfect 3-0 Following are highlights of both big wins:

ELBA 63 LUVERNE 43 Elba jumped ahead 12-4 in the first quarter and then pulled away to thump the Luverne Tigers 63-43. Elba jumped ahead 10-0 at the start of the game to take control and b the end of the first half was com fortably ahead 31-15. The lead ballooned to 48-23 in the third quarter and the homestanding Tigers easily held on for the lopsided win.

Dee Miller scored 22 points to lead Elba, while Terry Goosby added 12. Perdue scored 16 for Lu-

Elba (63): N. Whitfield 6, T Whitfield 4, Goosby 12, Ware 2 Miller 22, Dawkins 4, Chism 3 McMillan 8, Thigpen 2. Luverne (43): Mitchell 11, McDonald 2, Anderson 5, Watson 4, Ivey 8, Taylor 6, Perdue 16.

ELBA 50 The Elba Tigers sneaked ahead early and then held on late to defeat the New Brockton Gamecocks 50-

The Tigers jumped ahead 14-11 by the end of the first quarter, but couldn't put the Gamecocks away and had to rally in the final stanza to pull out the win.

Terry Goosby scored 16 points to lead Elba, while Dee Miller added 15 and Tim Whitfield scored 10. Flowers led New Brockton with 18. Elba (50): T. Whitfield 10, Goosby 16, Ware 7, Miller 15, N.B. (44): Flowers 18, Griffin 7,

Brust 2, Corbitt 8, Caldwell 3.



Elba's Bennie Daniels (4) lays in a two-pointer in the Tigers' season opening win over Louisville. Elba will compete next week in the Dothan

### Kennedy sees good season ahead

The Elba Tigers closed out their "We only start one senior, but we're regular season schedule prior to the not a young team. Our kids started holidays with a 2-1 record and last year and should know what to Elba's Coach Hank Kennedy feels expect. The non-football players the Tigers can be a good team be-need to carry us for a while until fore the long season draws to a the others get in shape. We were close in March.

"We are nowhere near in shape Brockton; however, they have a to run up and down a basketball good team and before football endstated Kennedy, "but the kids have done everything we've asked and more and I feel its a tribute to their pride and desire to be 2l after two weeks." "We have got a couple of

had hoped," said Elba's Kennedy.

holiday break. "We can have an outstanding team if the players are work hard and do their jobs," added Kennedy. players who didn't play football and "If they don't give it all they've got, they have played well in the open- it could be a long one. I'm expecting games, but not as well as we ing to have some fun.

### Fans invited to show Tiger pride

Elba High School's Coach Mack coaches, with a special momento members of this year's state chamoin the effort to pay the cost of the

Wood announced last week that all also planned for the cheerleaders. Any Elba High supporter or pionship football team will receive alumni, as well as any business in "State Championship" rings and the surrounding area which wishes invited all Elba fans and alumni to to help defray the cost of the rings is urged to send a check to Elba High School, State Championship The commemorative rings will Rings, Elba High School, Collier go to all players, managers and Street, Elba, Alabama 36323.

disappointed that we lost to New

ed I would have laughed at you a

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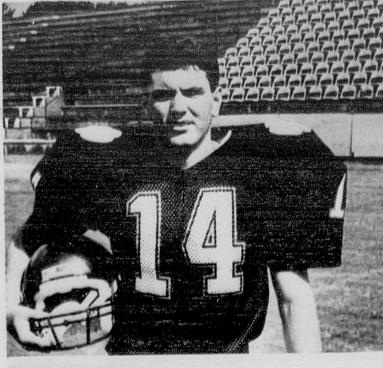
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THE ELBA CLIPPER DECEMBER 21, 1989



**Kevin Matthews** 

### Matthews joins Horstead & Hart on All-State squad

The Elba Tigers rolled to their first state football championship

Matthews (6-0, 175) completed 52 of 119 passes for 935 yards and this season and though the season

52 of 119 passes for 935 yards and this season and though the season 8 touchdowns in leading Elba to a

Classic this week in Elba has been over for almost a month, 13-2 record in '89 and also ran for the honors just keep rolling in for members of the Tigers' state cham-

The Birmingham News announced its annual "All-State" high school football team last week the season. and included on the prestigious squad were Elba's Kevin Matthews, Wade Hart and Reggie Matthews, a two-year starter at season, and especially in the

juarterback for the Tigers, guided playoffs, opened up the Elba attack Elba to a record of 21-3 during his career and at no time were his skills fensive success. more spectacular than this season, when the Tigers claimed the state Elba's Anthony Brooks.

and was the key to the Tigers' of-

Named honorable mention was

140 yards on 49 carries.

## Kinsaul says Gamecocks are excited to be 7-0

closed their pre-holiday schedule of 13 three-pointers and Chris last week with a perfect 7-0 record Turner has done more than we and while Coach Bobby Kinsaul could ask. Rex Caldwell has done a of the team has been unexpected. "It is exciting to be 7-0 after three weeks," said Kinsaul, "and

we're all proud of the effort that the has played together," said Coach players have given in every single Kinsaul. "There are no selfish game. We have claimed big road players on this team. When one wins over teams like Florala and player is hot the others will get him Zion Chapel and last week had really big home court wins over Kinston and Elba. So, we feel like we pick up the slack. We have good have played some tough games and depth and have developed a onemet the challenge every time out." little down last year and expected son, and we don't expect it to end us to struggle this season," added any time soon." Kinsaul, "but we won 20 games last year and I knew before the season night out," said Kinsaul, "but have who could spark this team to some ahead early and not let our oppo-Chris Lasseter (6-4), Malcolm have to play smart basketball after Knox (6-3) and Robert Kilow (6-2), the holidays and not let up, no mat-

"The key to our early season success has been the way the team

and thus far we have been able to ter what happens. If this team can kick the ball inside to them and put improve and keep working hard it some points on the board. Tony has a chance to do some big Newsome has done an outstanding job at point guard and at the other things."

The New Brockton Gamecocks guard spot Mike Smith has hit 10

the ball and when one player is having an off night the others will ness that good teams must have. So "Some people though we were a far, this has really been a fun sea-"We have played well every started that we had some players to concentrate more when we get good things. We have good size in nents back in the game. We will

boards with schools of any class. Louisville has one of the strongest inside games around and have qual-

# SEAC Tourney set for Kinston Jan.2-5

The annual Southeast Alabama while at 4:30 it will be the unde-Conference Tournament will be feated New Brockon Gamecocks held the opening week of January against the Goshen Eagles. At 6:00, hat during football season and it at the Kinston High School gym the defending champion Brantley and will feature two of the top small school basketball powers in Level Tigers and in the nightcap at Bobby Kinsaul, "but, it turned out the state in the Brantley Bulldogs 7:30, it will be the host Kinston good for the fans and if things go and New Brockton Gamecocks. The annual tournament will be- Rebels. gin on Tuesday, Jan.2, at 3:00 p.m., when the Highland Home Flying night, Jan.4, at 6:00 and 7:30, while son. Squadron meets the Dozier Tigers, the finals will be Friday night at

Bulldogs will tangle with the Red Bulldogs meeting the Zion Chapel The semifinals will be Thursday

"The tourney was drawn out of a could have developed into any thing," said New Brockton's Coach according to plan it should be a very exciting tournament." Admission will be \$2 per per-

# Christmas & New Year's ISS HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

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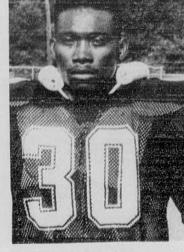
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Reggie Horstead



Anthony Brooks



# Tigers named to "Super 12" team

The Dothan Eagle announced state champion Elba Tigers.

Elba's Coach Mack Wood was its annual "Super 12" high school football team in Class 1A-3A last Year," while the "Player of the dominant player on both sides of week and included on the honored Year" honor went to the Tigers' the football for Elba and in 1989's team were three players from the fullback-noseguard Anthony

# 1st annual DQ Christmas

The 1st annual "Dairy Queen ity depth, and are also a state tour-Christmas Classic" basketball ney contender. Hart (6-3,280) anchored the tournament will be held this week 6A Dothan will have to be the Elba offensive line and helped open holes that enabled the Tigers to in Elba and when the tournament tourney favorite and will bring to gained 1,683 yards on 218 carries tipped off Tuesday night eight of town one of its best teams in years, during the season and scored 13 rush for over 4,000 yards during across south Alabama were includ-Horstead (5-10,180) led the Tigers in rushing during the '89 camed in the prestigious field. paign and scored 13 touchdowns. His outstanding play during the

night (Thursday) with semifinal ac-night. tion at 6:00 and 7:30, while the consolation game will be held Fri- start after winning the state football season. Hart provided the Tigers day night at 6:00, to be followed by championship, but have shown with a power blocker that was althe championship contest at 7:30. In opening round action Tues- and many believe the Tigers have a age situations, and over on defense day night the Opp Bobcats and Lu-solid shot at taking the 3A cage made a total of 39 tackles, despite verne Tigers opened the week's ac- crown to go along with the football seeing only limited duty. Hart also tion in the opener at 4:00, while title. Coffee Springs will have plen- handled the place-kicking chores Kinston met Louisville at 5:30, Doty to say about how far the Tigers for the Tigers during the past two than tangled with Evergreen Hillcrest at 7:00 and Elba hosted Cof-

fee Springs at 8:30. "We feel real good about the record. success of this year's tourney and are thrilled to death with the retournament depends on the fans," sponse we had from surrounding added Coach Kennedy, "and we teams," stated tournament director hope all the Elba fans and surand head basketball coach Hank rounding fans will come out to see Kennedy, from Elba. "It is some- the action. There will be plenty of school coaches, has been chosen to times hard to get teams together at action every night of the tourna- coach the Alabama team in the anadmits he is surprised to be unde-solid job when he gets in and the feated, he refuses to say the success results have been seven straight the phone and found seven other gym packed." schools that were looking for somewhere to play over the holidays. the tournament is sponsored by the be honored as the 3A state champi-This is as strong as tourney as any Elba Dairy Queen.

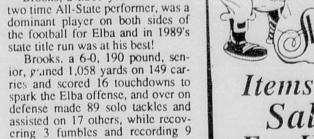
around and we hope it will be the start of something really big." Looking across the bracket of this year's event, it isn't hard to see why Coach Kennedy is excited about this week's tournament. The Opp Bobcats are one of the favorites in the Class 5A, Area 3 race and have one of the state's top young players in Reggie Hightow

er, while Luverne, their first round pponent, feature Michael Rodgers and are expected to challenge for the 3A, Area 3 crown. The Kinston Bulldogs carried a 5-2 slate into this week's event and are once again one of the top small school clubs to be found. The Bulldogs are paced by the inside punch of 6-4 Brandy Nobles and 6-7 Robert Laramore and can pound the

the top high school teams from but drew Evergreen Hillcrest in the touchdowns. opener and the talented Jaguars have the skilled people to butt senior, was the anchor of the Tigers The tournament will resume to- heads with anyone on any given offensive line for three years and The Elba Tigers got off to a late in honor of his outstanding senior

signs of having a top quality team ways good for a hole in short yard go in the tourney; however, and the years and became on the Elba's undefeated Golden Bears have been most consistent field goal and ex solid gold in rolling to a quick 7-0 tra-point kickers. "The success of any basketball

Admission is \$2 per person



quarterback sacks. Reggie Horstead, a 5-10, 180 pound, senior, was the Tigers leading rusher during the '89 season and earned "Super 12" honors for his outstanding season. Horstead

Wade Hart, a 6-3, 280 pound was named to the "Super 12" squad

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n front of the Courthouse door in Elba, at 11:00 a.m. during legal hours of sale tion to the highest bidder for cash, the and work required may be obtained by following described real estate: One lor or parcel of land containing bond will be required for a contract exone acre, more or less, lying in and being a part of the NW1/4 of SW1/4 of Section 34, Township 4 North, Range 19 East, in Coffee County, be made as soon as possible after bid ESTATE OF Alabama, and being more particu- opening. larly described as follows: Begin-

ning at the Northwest corner of said

NW1/4 of SW1/4 of Section 34 Township 4 North, Range 19 East, which point is in the right of way of ning thence South along the West line of said forty a distance of 220 feet to a point; thence running East along a line parallel with the North line said forty distance of 198 feet to a point; thence running North along a line parallel with the west

THAT on said 15th day of September, 1989, M. Lloyd Roebuck, Attorney

2. For the payment of the principal interest and any other items due under are hereby commanded to answer or plead by January 22, 1990, to the com-WITNESS, my hand this the 27th

JOHN C. DOWLING Attorney for Coffee County Bank P.O. Box 68 Enterprise, Alabama 36331

The Coffee County Health Department, as Weatherization Agency Coffee County, is soliciting bids for PROBATE COURT weatherization work and materials. Sealed bids must be addressed to the Weatherization Agency in care of the Coffee County Health Department, P.O. Box 1316, Enterprise, Alabama 36330 and received in this office of the Coffee County Health Department, P.O. Box 1316, Enterprise, Alabama 36330 and received in this office of the County Health Department, P.O. Box 1316, Enterprise, Alabama 36330 and received in this office of the County Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed.

Agency at the above address. A bid surance is required. Contract award will

COMPLAINT ISSUED OUT OF THE DISTRICT COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA, IN 1989, by the Hon. Marion B. Brunson,

above entitled cause on the 26th day of July, 1989, the above named Plaintiff filed in said District Court, a cause of action against the above named Defendants, Gary L. Slayton and Sang K. Slayton, for the sum of \$4,238.82.

for Plaintiff, filed in the above entitled cause an affidavit stating that the defendants' residence was unknown to him vice of process and that a diligent search has been made to ascertain the NOW. THEREFORE, the same Gary L. Slayton and Sang K. Slayton

3. The balance, if any, to be paid to the mortgagors as their interest may ap-Dated this the 6th day of December,

Clerk, District Court

Attorney for Plaintiff

VIRGIL

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/s/ OSCAR VAUGHAN JR. Executor

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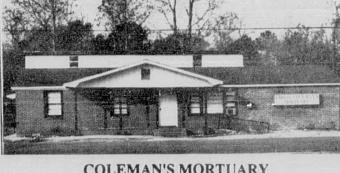


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debts incurred by anyone other than them; and they were sore afraid. good tidings of great joy which shall be to all people We would like to take this op-

portunity to thank everyone who is Christ the Lord." LUKE 2:6-11 ing of our fellowship hall whether We say "thank you" and God Miss Maria Kelley, Brandon Kel-\*\*\*The annual Christmas fellow-

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And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field keeping watch over their flock by night and lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about And the angel said unto them, Fear not, for behold I bring you

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which \*\*\*Thinking of you, praying for you: Mrs. Doris Waters, Mrs. Susie McMillan, Mrs. Ernestine Kelley, ley, Tyrone Kelley, Mr. Earl Kel-

ship presented by the single members of Friendship Baptist Church, Enterprise, Dr. N.L. Robinson, pas-We would like to say a heartfelt tor, was held Sunday night, Dec. Those participating included Rev. J.R. Mullins, Ms. Winnifer Jo-

many deeds of kindness shown to A special thanks to Rev. Don seph, Mrs. Eloise Cook, Ms. Ester us during the loss of our loved one. Moore, Mr. W. Cooper, Ms. Ida Kannady who drive from Kentutcy Pendleton, Mrs. Bessie Mullins, to be with us in our time of sorrow, Rev. Naaman Wright, Mr. Wilbur Gibson, Mrs. Vertie K. Neal, Mr. May God richly bless each and William Canady, and music provided by Rocky Head Y.A. Choir,

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somebody as I pass along the way,

God bless you, Mary, and keep on believing in Jesus our Saviour.

then my living shall not be in vain.

Sgt. Thomas J.

Receives Medal

Staff Sgt. Thomas J. Compton

has been decorated with the Air

The medal is awarded to those

individuals who demonstrate out-

standing achievement or meritori-

ous service in the performance of

their duties on behalf of the Air

He is a telecommunications sys-

the 2063rd Communications

and Peggy P. Compton of Rt. 5,

Kelley of Rt. 4, Elba.

of Elba High School.

Elba, and his wife Neina is the

The sergeant is a 1975 graduate

Compton is the son of Walter E.

Force Commendation Medal in

Compton

Dept. Home Health Care.

ERIA

Squadron.

traveled to ports in Germany, France, Turkley, Italy, Spain, the Philippines, etc., during my career, and I believe it is time to hang up my cap. Paul was given a birthday party Nov. 6 by some of his Spanish

ERNEST PAUL BELCHER

PROMOTED TO CHIEF PET-

Ernest Paul Belcher was promot-

ed Sept. 16, 1989, to the rank of

Chief Petty Officer in the United

States Navy. He has completed

over 17 years of active military ser-

vice, and is stationed at Naval

Communications Station, Rota,

He is the son of Grover and Eria

Belcher, grandson of Tillman Lind-

sey and the late Nettie R. Lindsey,

and the late Oliver and Hessie

Paul is a 1969 graduate of Elba

High School and continued his edu-

cation at the Business College of

Computer Career Institute in Atlan-

Technical College in Opp, before

Paul plans to retire in a couple of

years to the Florida area. "I have

Ga., and Douglas MacArthur

Belcher, all of Elba.

entering the military.

TY OFFICER

He is home in Elba for his father's retirement banquet and will be traveling back to Spain on Dec. Best wishes always, Paul.

\*\*\*Mr. Grover Belcher will be honored with a retirement banquet on Dec. 23, 1 until 5:30 p.m. at the Mulberry Educational Building in Elba, Hwy. 166, Old Curtis Rd. All friends and relatives are in-

\*\*\*The Mulberry Missionary Baptist District Association Christmas program will be held at the Mulbery Educational Building at 6 p.m. \*\*\*Merry Christmas and Happy dren and has been a foster mother New Year to everyone!

\*\*\*This is a good day. Be grateful!

nurse I let them know I care for them and I pray to continue doing Pvt. Gerald C. "I am a member of Mt. Zion Boswell Com-M.B. Church, Enterprise, Rev. Paul Grider, pastor, Sunday School pletes Training teacher (Senior Women's class)

Army National Guard Private y Choir, a youth director, program Gerald C. Boswell has completed chairman, Matrons Dept. Missionthe basic field artillery cannoneer ary Society, Bible Class, and other course at Fort Sill, Okla. organizations, as well as being em-During the course, students were ployed with Coffee County Health taught the duties of a howitzer or I have five sisters and two gun section crewman. They also received instruction in communicabrothers. My parents, Theother tions, maintenance and the han-Whitehurst and the late Bessie dling of ammunition and Caldwell Whitehurst, taught us Boswell is the son of Gerald Mary continued, "If I can help

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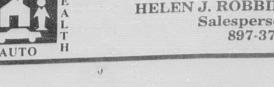
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#### HORTICULTURE TIPS

County Agent - Coordinator

MAS FLOWER poinsettia has become almost synonymous with Christmas. Legend has it that on a Christmas Eve long ago, a little Mexican girl wanted more than anything a present, a fine gift to the Christ Child at the

church service that evening. Being poor, she had only a bou-quet of common roadside weeds. As she approached the altar however a miralce happened - - the weeds burst into beautiful blooms. They were called Flores de Noche Buene (Flower of the Holy Night). We

call them poinsettias. While the poinsettia remains a symbol of Christmas in many parts of the world, it was actually cuiltivated in Mexico by the Aztecs long before Christianity came to the western hemisphere. The plant was called Cuetlaxochitl by the Indians

and was prized for its brilliant coland a medicinal preparation to counteract fever from latex con-

tained in the plant. Poinsettia is a member of the spurge family, Euphorbiacea. The showy red portion of the plant, popularly referred to a the flower, consists of modified leaves or bracts. The real flowers are small, almost inconspicuous yellow-green clusters in the center of the bracts.

Poinsettias were first introduced into the U.S. in 1925 by Joel Robert Poinsett, then U.S. ambassador to Mexico. A botanist, Poinsett sent plants to his home in Greenville,

He distributed plants to several botanical gardens and horticultural friends, among them John Bartram of Philadelphia. Bartram, in turn, gave plants to Robert Buist, who is credited with first growing poinsettias for commercial use.

much improved over their ances-Today's modern poinsettias are tors. Plant breeders have been successful in developing sturdier varieties, now grown in many sizes and poinsettias, tree forms and hanging

smost popular color, white, pink, and variegated varieties are also

> To increase the life of poinset tias indoors, place the plant in a room with as much natural light as drafts or near heat from appliances, radiators or heating ducts. Optimum daytime temperatures are 70tures should not be allowed to drop below 55 degrees F.

> To avoid breakage, select a place for the plant out of the way of children and pets. Place the plant in a waterproof container or saucer to protect floors and furniture. Water thoroughly when the soil is dry to the touch; discard excess water. Do not rewater until the soil is slightly dry. Plants properly cared for should last several weeks or longer.

DORMANT SPRAYS

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earned degrees including 157 bach-

Students from this area include

From Elba - Bachelor - Thomas

elor's and 48 master's degrees.

4-H Report On Nov. 16 Mrs. Lee's 4-H Girls

held their 4-H meeting.
Our project this month is "How to Make Your Own Cookies," and a footstool. We were to turn this in

o be about your project.) workshop on Thursday, Dec. 14, The project is making cypress

KAYRON WHITWORTH

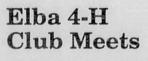
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4-H Report

On Nov. 21 the New Brockton h grade 4-H held their second First we took up our pictures. Then we discussed the contests and workshop for next month. Our program was on candy makng. We learned a neat way to make

AMY DeVAUGHAN, Reporter



We started out the meeting sing-ing "Jingle Bells" and "Happy Birthday" to Shandez Daniels. Then we pledged our allegiance to the flags of the United States and

place in the cookie contest and Wesly Kelley not only won over the sixth grade, but he also won first place in Coffee County.

Mr. Windham talked to us on breeds of rabbits. We finished up ith Nacoma Coleman.

II -STEEL MAGNOLIAS (PG) M.F. - 7&9:15 / Sat. - 2, 7 & 9:15 / Sun - 2 & 7 Coming Dec. 27 - Steven Spielberg's 'Alwaya' ry for used eye glasses placed in front of city hall by the Elba Lions Club. The old glasses can be recycled and issued to persons in other areas of the world who are in need of glasses. The drive will continue until the annual Pancake Day activities of the continue until the annual Pancake Day activities of the continue until the annual Pancake Day activities of the continue until the annual Pancake Day activities of the continue until the annual Pancake Day activities of the continue until the annual pancake Day activities of the continue until the depository. III-(W. Disney's) THE LITTLE MERMAID (G M-F - 7 & 8:45 / Sat - 2, 7 & 8:45 / Sun - 2 & 7 IV - SHE DEVIL (PG) M-F - 7&9 / Sat - 2, 7 & 9 / Sun - 2 & 7

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The 4-H Clubs are to decorate al Hospital during the period of Dec. 12 through 18 include the folthe Christmas tree at the courthouse this year. If we were interested, our project was due on Dec. 4. (It has Sara N. Smith, Larry H. Fuller, Nell Austin, George Mackelhaney, Billy Hugh Hull, Mae S. Young, We are having a woodworking from 5 until 7 p.m. It costs \$10.

Sixth Grade 4-H

Club Meets

Ada Edmondson, Judy Bindo,
Larry H. Fuller, Vandety Danford,
George Mackelhaney, Ruth Harrelson, Catina Mitchell, Nacole
Bryan, Nell Austin, Mae S. Young,
Sara N. Smith, Willie Pearl Spurlin, Barbara McKinnon, Willie Folsom, Mary Olean Kelley, Minnie Ethel

Mrs. Smith's and Mrs. Sutley's 4-H Club met Nov. 16. We received our project materials and also got sheets on upcoming events.

One of these is the cookie contest. Cookies will be due Dec. 14.

WYNDI BAKER, Reporter

Reporters

When submitting articles to *The Elba Clipper* for publication, 4-H Club reporters are asked to be sure to identify their particular club. Begin the article by including the town, grade, (boys or girls club) and date of the meeting. Then start the activities of the meeting. Sign with name of reporter:

Betty K. Davis, Winnie Folsom,

Minnie Ethel Smith, Mary Olean Kelley, Charles Fleming, T.C.

Neal, Bernise Gilbert, Vera Greer.

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All 4-H

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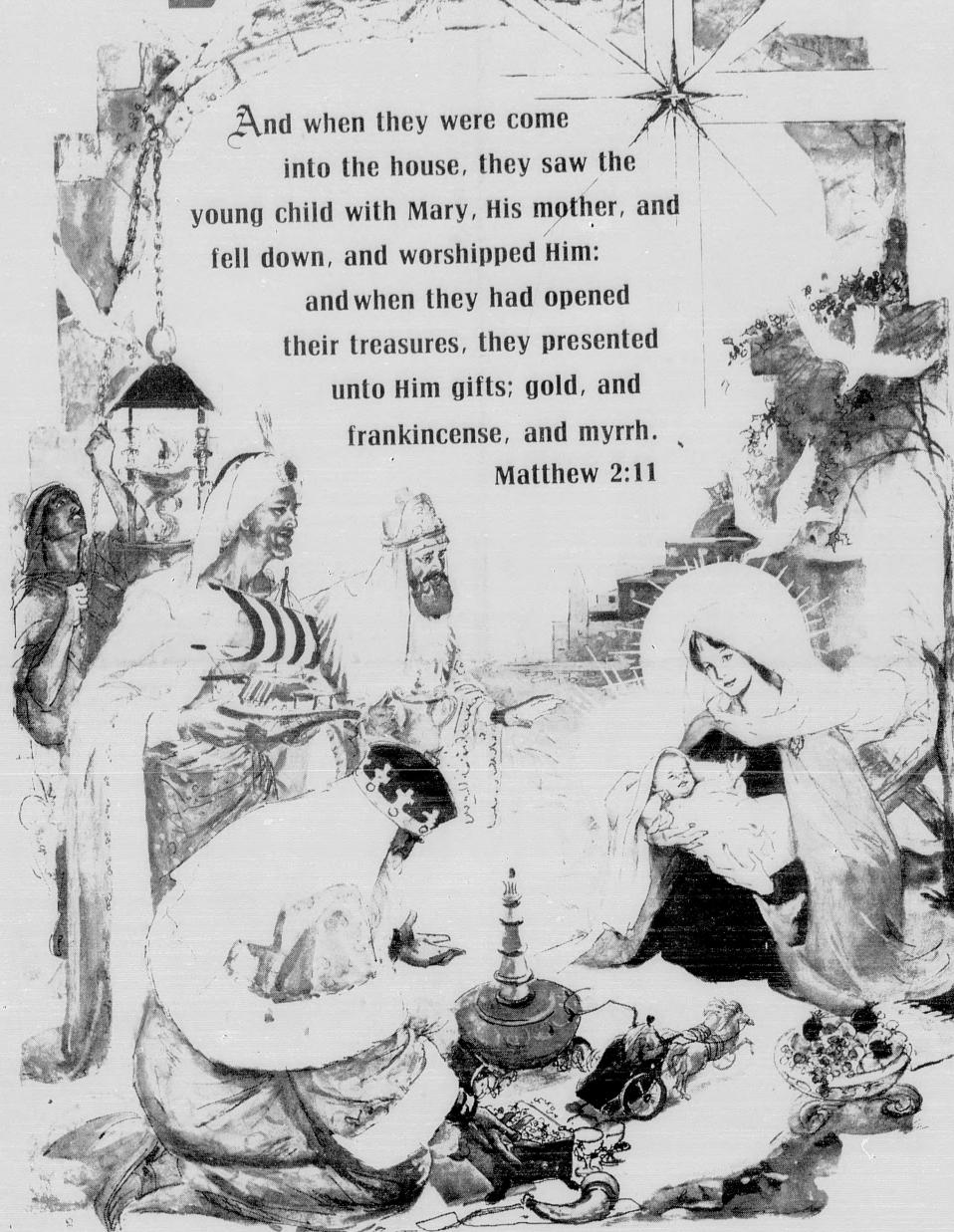
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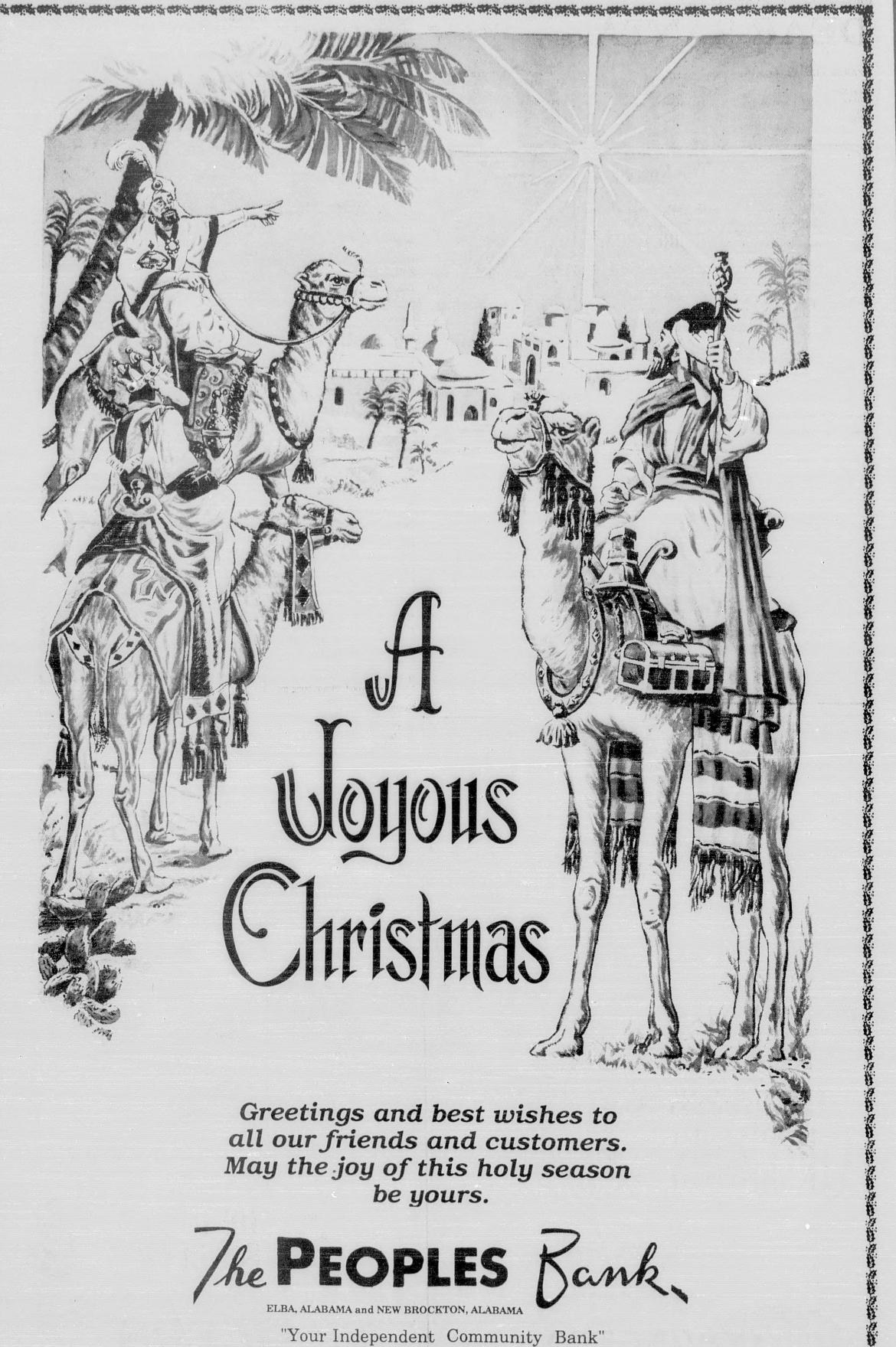
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How are you doing. I want a dirt

Dear Santa, Dear Santa,

KIM THAMES

Dear Santa, How are you. I want nintendo. TOMMY ANDEROU

Dear Santa, How are you. I want trampoline

Dear Santa, How are you. I want a Nintedo and Ninja turtles, and a tape player Dear Santa. and a football Soot.

Dear Santa, How are you. I want Go cart 4bicycle, chalk board, tape player.

Dear Santa, How are You. Doll Suit. I want bathing bike.

car, a bicycle. LORA

How are you. I want scooter. ALLEN POLL

How are you. I want gocart. DERRICK How are you? I want a doll and bear and oi bieck and a Nintendo

Dear Santa, How are you. I want TK Doll. APRIL

AMANDA McCLAIN

Dear Snnta, How are you. I want a Nintendo and I want a colt too and a Doll. I

a doll and pituer of you and a dog.

How are you. I want a nintendo.

How are you. I want a gocar. DERRICK

Dear Santa, How are you. I want Nintendo. BILL BRIAN Dear Sante, I have been good. Please bring me a go cart. I Love you. Jeremy

and drum and Gocart. Dear Santa,
I have been good. Please bring CORY me a gocart. I Love you.

I have been good . Please bring Tarnisa Tyson GUNTER me a sword. I love you. Dear Santa

I have been good. Please bring me a bicycle. i love you. Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

and I want a tv. LORI BETH

doll and a little miss mak-up.

How are you. I want a nintinDo

MRS. ENGLISH

I have been good. Please brung n a bicycle. I Love you. How are you. I want dog and Go-Dear Santa,

I have been good . Please bring me a Nintendo. I Love you. Marcus

Dear Santa, I have been good. Please bring me a Nintendo. I love you.

I have been good. Please bring me a go cart I Love you, Dear Santa,

I have been good. Please bring me a NINTENDO an skate board. ROSHANDA

Dear Santa,

I have been good. Please bring me a Barbie. I Love you, Dear Santa,

a Keyboard! I love you. I have been good. Please bring me a roller racer I Love you,

Dear Santa,
I have bee good. Please bring me I Love You, Lacey

Dear Santa, I have been good. Please bring me a Motor Cycle.

I have been good. Please bring me a roller racer. I love you Evelyn I havre been good. Pleoise bring me a Barbie. I Love you

I have been good. Pleas bring me a Little miss ma keup I Love You,

I have been good, please bring me a jem little miss dress up. i love

ou. Lakia

I have been good. Please bring Love you, Anthony MRS BOZEMAN 1st GRADE

Dear Santa, Please bring me a Barbie ice cream shop. I have Been good. Love you Santa

Please bring me a Ninja Turtle set. I have been good.

Dear Santa, Please bring me a  $\pi$ .j. sparkles doll. Amanda Beerenstrauch Dear Santa,

Please bring me a long-haired doll that I can fix loke I want too. I have been good. Love Linda Gideon

Dear Santa, Please bring me a ghost trap. love you. Alan Samuel

Dear Santa.
lease bring me a Powerwheel
firetruck.
Justin Hines
I love you momo

Dear Santa, Please bring me a dirt bike. Love Gary Williams

Please bring me a puzzle and Bar-How are you? I want a dog and

Heather Hudson

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

Jenna Dawkins

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa.

Jeaneva. Ordon

Please bring me a tea set.

Please bring me a doll with hair that grows. I love you. Please bring me a radio . I Love Lynette Reed Love Jenifer. Lee

Please bring me a dirt bike go-Please bring me a Puzzle and

William Fowler

Dear Santa,

I Love you Santa

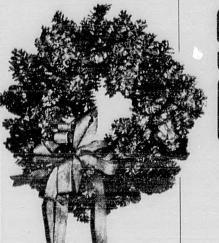
Ronald parks Dear Santa, Please bring me a Ninjtar Set. Please bring me a bicycle, puz-Douglas Kyles

Please bring a Lambroguine

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a big foot remote COntrol Car. Love, Brian Rhoades

Dear Santa, Please bring me a four wheeler Joshau Moultry

Please bring me a Barbie Car. Dear Santa, Please bring inea Lambroguine-Jimmy Coleman



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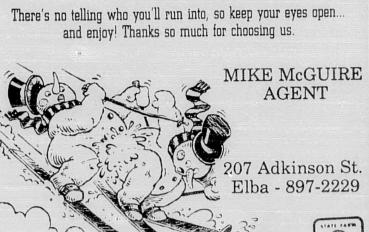
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train, some games and a walkman.

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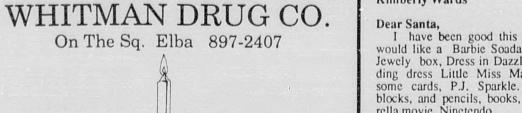
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making



I want a new back pack, and a My

shoes and clothes. Cerethia Towles

nice Christmas man. Tiffany Farris

I want a Nintendo and a Barbie, doll. I have been good. This is what I want Please. I Love You.

want a Nintendo for Christmas. have been good.

Dear Santa, I want a go car, Nintendo, Bike, big foot, race car, bow and arrow,

I love you, Jermaine Phillips Dear Santa, For Christmas, I want a playdo Oopsy Daisy, and light brite. I have been good. Please bring me a Baby

I love you Rene Wamble Dear Santa, For Christmas I want some drums and cricket's buddy, a bike, and Oopsy Daisy, and light

Dear Santa I want a Nitenda bike, 4 wheeler, Cricket Doll, Swing Set, and clothes for Christmas.

Lacinda Farris Dear Santa, I want toys and baby dolls, baby bubbles, my two front teeth, clothes, nintendo games, necklace, anklet and telephone, watch, and make your own ice cream, ring and little miss make-up. Jessica Goodsey

Dear Santa, I want a Ninja turtles for Christmas. I want a go carrr, for Christmas. I want a Nintendo for Christmas. I want a Big foot for Christmas. I want a football for Christmas. I love you, Larry Cannon

Dear Santa, I love you. I want a Nintendo and Elwayand B.B. gun. Bradley Bowersa

Dear Santa, I have been good this year. For Christmas I would like a nintendo and some games to play on the nintendo. Also I want some puzzles, games, and surprises. Shanna TIllis

I want a Ninento for Christmas. I also want clothes, gloves, shoes, a toy, socks, and a race car. I love you, Steve Parrish

Dear Santa, Dear Santa. I have been good for Christmas. I I been good this year. For want a tractor and a tow big foot, Christmas, I want a Batman modle, and a electric train, and a poipeye Batman game, ninja suit, Mgick games, Batman set.

**Dustin White** I can't wait until Christmas. I Dear Santa. hope you are well. These are the I've been good and I would like a things I would like for Christmas.
G.I. Joes, Battoys, Ninja weapons,
Micromachines, Ninjaturtles, mask,
Clothes, Some games, Some Surclothes, Nintendo hames, prises, and rainbow bed.

I would like a Nine tendo and I have been good this year. I games aand a pink bicycle. I would want all this for Christmas. PJ like some clothes and a dress in Sparkles, Tennis bracelet, 2 rings, dazzle. I would like it to be a balle- Shoes, LaGear and Big k, cool rina. I would like a silly dilly. I times, Barbie, Coosters, Barbie would like a ticketta tasket and a Soda Shop, Little Miss Dress upa

io and Pool

barbie soda shop and Sweatie Kit- and Make Your own ice cream, a I love you. Kimberly Wards I love you, Charvetta Williams

I have been good this year. I Dear Santa, would like a Barbie Soada Shop Jewely box, Dress in Dazzle wed-ta and I want a Baby Doll, coat, ding dress Little Miss Make-up, pants, shoes, socks, radio, toys, some cards, P.J. Sparkle. Lego. games, connector, Teddy Bear, blocks, and pencils, books, cinde-chalk board swimming pool, oopsy I love you, Brandi Walker

Tyeisha Tyson Kid sister doll, if you don't have a Batman people and Legos and a Big Foot truck. I want more toys than that and I want a ninja sleepin school1 Please do not forget ing bag, and a Karate bracelet for

I have been good this year. I Ben Purvis would like a ring, chira doll, magic key mansion, camera, radio, and blue jean jumper, and surprises, I think you are nice and you have a pretty wife. I think you are a very Dear Santa,

prize I have been good The year SANTA. You is been good Santa a watch, some candy and games, a doll, some surprises and Chricket Dear Santa, I have been tried to be Good but no one is perfect I hope you have and Merry Christmas to every one.

Tasha McDonald I Love you I want Dolly surprise Corrie Dortch I want a go car for Christmas. want a B.B. gun for Christmas. I I have been good this year comwant a big foot for Christmas. I want an Atari for Chriistmas. puter and easel

Wesley Kelley Dear Santa. I have been good Santa and I love you Santa. and I want a radioe and a play house and a ball and BB gun, Atari and play corn flakes I love you, Brandy

> Dear Santa, I've Been good you have Been good too. I just want for you to now what I want you to give me a bike, a little TV and a new doll, and doll house and a bear and little bar-

and for everybody in my whole

ELBA ELEMENTARY

MRS. BOYD

I want a bike and a doll and a

math book a spelling book and a

Jennifer Shelley Wells Dear Santa, I have been good. And I want you to have a mary mary christmas. But that is not all I want to say. want a Leming Computer, radio, a poster of you, and a barbie doll, and a dressin-dasall. Love Monique Ordor To: Santa

Dear Santa, I have tried to be sweet but my brother is mean to me sometimes so I haf to fight him. I would like a bike, key board, games, a pair of shoes and more things.

Duik Doll haby House ball baby pig I will hive you cookey SAN-TAOK by by SANTA

ear Santa, one is perfect I hope you have a Will you bring me a bike for good night snack with people give Christmas? I want a gocar, to my ing you cookies. mom bring a real car for Christtensepao for Christmas.

My name is Katrina Famz. I have been good But I have not ben perfect I want litt miss dress up I love you SANTA'

Can I please have a Electric gutar with spekers I will try to be watch and Beach Blast Barbie Patgood so I can get it Love Lee Scarborough

Dear Santa. Name Isiah Wilkerson I love Santa That all i have to say one more taky I want a fed car ho ho ho Ban Side Santa Isiah Wilkerson

Dear Santa, I want a skateboard and a pooltable, a race trak and a scoter. I will leave milk and cookies out. Love Kennetth Hughes I have tried to be good, I have

been good most of the time. I want a 4 willer for Christmas. J.W. Bludsworth me and Dustion and Mom and Dad I benn good and sweet this year. I want a blue jean prias and colse and shois and lois of prizeis

I wish you a merry christmas, I want a bike and a radio. merry

Lance Cash Heather Shipper

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I want a baby Bubbls, make-up

clouths, Bat man tape New Kids

On the block tapes, nintendo, Bar-

Love : Lesilie Stinson

I have tried to Be good But no

My name is Erik age 8 1989 2th

I want a Nintindo a go cart knife

baseball gluv a ball and football

My name is Sammy Hill . I am a

good boy because MRS. BOYD

Christmas and a gocart.

Dear Santa,

Randall Fowler

Melissa Grantham

Dear Santa,

Jennifer Dyer

I am 8.

said I was. I want a football for

My name is Randall Fowler. I am a

I want a birthstone ring a tyampo-

lin a phone and a sleeping bag I

wish every body a great Merry

Heres me Santa I will put out a

drink for you .22 I want a doll

from SANTA. I want some crayons

and a book. My Mom and Dad will

like anything. Santa gose oh oh oh.

good boy. I want a football.

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Tyson - Elba 2nd Grade

I want a game set and a candyland and a Lifegame and a Sorry game and a radio control car and some clothes and a ghot busters and What I would like, a big beach and a cat for Christmas. I want an a ghot man and a pool and a ghot ball, a Barbie doll, a Mutant Ninja easel and a chalk board, and a play busters car and a man and a game pack and two men and a bear and a Turtles, some candy and a Santa gi joe game boy.
I love you, NATHANIEL

friends set. And a Bike a Nother kittin. Oppise dazy Candy, A tasty an football clothes and some bees. That is all I want, Santa. bake oven. Animal lovin barbie.
Super Star barbie. A Santa doll.

clothes and a gettor and a 12 gag.
I love you. TODD SIMMINS Super Star barbie. A Santa doll. I love you. TERESA

I would like to have a T.V. a nin- Kick ball 5. Swam pool, key poud tendo set and a bike and a those car they call thim power wheel and a I love you. MARY Toy gun and a football and a play horse and a boy batman car. And I will leve you some cookies and some amy men. I love you, TONY

I would like a Barie soda shop, Two Baries, 6AA Batterys for my keyboard. A new dress, some socks, Another pem, pem, a Computer, Another kitten, Oppsie Dazy, PJ's Sparkel, Little miss dresssup. I love you. TASHA

Dear Santa. I wood want a new bike, some men's and some Heman mens and the snak mountain and some games to go to my ninetdo and some gi I love you. TIM WARE

Dear Santa, Barbie doll, shoes, dress, walkey talkey, little miss makeup P.. spraikl and Nitendo. I love you. BRANDY PHILLIPS

1 Turb typhoon Havercraft. 2 Super Mario Land. Zap Phone. 3 Turtle Pizza Thrower Delivers! 4. Color TV. It's ninje Turtles (TM!) 5 Marble Madneess, Crossfive, 6, BB gun, Radio. GI Joe's Dable Dribble. I love you. PETE

I want for Christmas Dress and dazzle, Baby Growers is wheretox. Bubble Baby, Little Mrs. Makeup, hat and some glove. I love you. SHACA

I wood like a four wheeler, legos, the whole set of micromothines. Megaforce. Contra Ninten-I love you. STEPHEN

Dear Snnta, I want a Baby doll, amd a dress amd dazzle. anda Baby Growers hair and a little Mrs. makeup doll. And a Babbie baby, and a bike. I love you. BERTHA MITCHELL

Dear Santa, Bat, a bear, doll hose, a house slide, slid dictionary math book English book, spelling book, handwriting book. I say Merry Christmas, 30,000. Santa I love you. Do youlove me to. I love you. VICKIE MADDOX

Dear Santa, Baby doll, Boarbe doll, book tape, book people in my school. We lem together, a book tape that says I love you. ADRIANN

Dear Santa, I want a Cabbech panch kid and little miss makeup and a real white rabbit a par of clouths a dog and a hourse a par of L. A.Gear's and a wood desk and a flag. I love you. CYNTHIA

I want a B-B gun, GI Joes, Legos, Lamp, good teacher, No School TV. I love you. CALEB

Dear Santa, Goat car four weir football soot, horse, another beathday, gettre pelet pistol, football, toys, netendo,

I love you. BRYAN

I love you. TAMMY PURGA Brandi Harrison I would like for you to bring me

a Beach Blast Barbie and her gun shells, and a pinball mashine, grades. For Christmas I would like and a skatebord, and some 22 shells a bike and a tractor and some bee

Kelvin Burks

few extra presents.

I love you, Reese Grantham

radio and a guitar.

1.Up days 2. Doll Doll 3. Bike 4 How old are you? Iwant a car, shoes, toys, go cart, moter scooter That all Iwant. and games. I am gettin a gold ear-

I would like a Little Miss Makeup, Doll Bell, coumper and a sow-I love you. JILL JINRIGHT

Nintendo, clothing, rass and dazzle, barbie house and cloching, baby doll, ring.
I love you. CHASSIDY

I want a nintendo. I want a teddy bear. I want a car. I want a truck. I want a pet bird and a lot of toy'. I love you. ADOLPHUS

> MRS. DUBOSE THIRD GRADE

Hi. what's up? Nothing much in Elba. Elba is the State Champions. Well, we had a Christmas Pageant. Beverlee Benbo won. I got in the top 15. They ask me what I wanted and this is what I said: Nintindo games, but I Do want a lot of clothes and Toys too. Laura Crowe

I would like a Nintendo game, Clue Jr., a surf board and some surprises.

I have been nice in school. I would like a Gameboy, Ninendo Games, a new Putter for golf and the clubs I dont have. I would like a new reel for my fishing rod so I can catch an 8 1/2 pound Bass. I will

leave you some milk and cookies and tell me how old you are. Mark Wicker Dear Santa.

I have ben good and I have made good grades. Have you been cold in the North Pole? I want you

Mother Love,
Sha Ba to send me a BB gun and a big Eric Martin

Dear Santa.

and clothes, a watch, Flash cards Love, and many toys too. My teacher Brad Holley nice. Her name is Lovely Mrs. Du-Natsaha Lee

I have been good this year. Will you get me a leather jacket, a bike, and a bedroom suite. **Brooks Creel** 

Dear Santa, I have made good grades. I want a gocart, telephone, Nintendo games, New Kids on the Block Christmas tape and a Swatch watch. Santa, I will give you cook-

Elizabeth Stephens Dear Santa,

I have been making all A's for the last 6 weeks. I would like a Nintendo. I would like 2 Nintendo games called Jaws and Zelda, a Cream Factory, Little Miss Dress up, and an Auburn clock.

Paige Hudson Dear Santa,

I;ve been making straight A's since the third grade started. I think I've been real good. I want a Barbie Dance Club, Ken, a Hellow Kitty, blue pen, sweet roses Barbie, and other Hellow Kitty things. How old are you Santa?

Julie Roberson

I have been good and I mind my mother. Santa, I want a gocart and a motor scooter and a bike.

have been working hard for Christbie Soda Shop, P. J. Sparkles, Growing Baby, nintindo, Super ma-rio 2, Hot Look and a lot of clothes.

Would you please bring me a pool and some make-up. Please bring me a bike and most of all a puppy, a doll, some candy canes

Angie Laney

My name is Kelvin Burks. I am

Joann Barton some very good roller skates and a For Christmas I would like a Nintendo and a couple of games like Rodracer, RBI Baseball, a suprises. I have ben a good boy this

Dear Santa,

I haveben good this year. I want BatMan toys. I want a nintenDo game. I want a turtle. That is all

Sage Norris

I havebeen a good girl for you. For Christmas I want a nintendo, a tenspeed, and radio with a microphone. I want a bear that looks just

Latarsha Kyles Dear Santa, My report card looks like this. Anyway I want contra a metal detector, a box of B B's so pplleeaassee bring them to me pplleeaassee.

I have been good and I mind my Mother, my Father and my grand mother. For Christmas I want some

clothes and some toys too. The names of the toys are Bingo game, a Jem doll. I am going to get my Mother a gold necklace.

I am doing good in school and I have not got any whippings yet. want you to put some of my presents under my little Christmas I make good grades like A, and tree. I want some Nintendo games, B's. I want you to Bring me a go cart, Dollhouse, P J Sparkles, a bird skateboard.

MRS. CALHOUN

For Christmas I would like, 1. Ninja Turtles blimp, 2. Leonardo, Michaelango, Raphael and Donatel-lo, 3. Turtle Pizza thrower, Delivers!, 4. Turtle Party Wagon, 5 Good Guy Turtles, 6. Action Turtle set, 7. Genghis from and Cheapskate, 8. Bad Guy Turtle set.

Love, Robert Aponte For Christmas I want a nitend game, rodcopcot, bick, dog, a bask, the Pan Oct gos will to.

Unknown Dear Santa, For Christmas I would like to

For Christmas I would like a Dear Santa,

I want a ver. and a Basketball Dear Santa, goud, a Nintindo, a NinJa turtles, a tv. and a foot ball. P. S. Merry Christmas. Love,

Dear Santa, For Christmas I would like a Stacy talki doll, I want a Ninten Joakey forda, a computer, in some close.

like...Nintendo game - California games, Li'l Mrs. Dress up, a new Casio Key-Board, Super Star Barbie, a new brown bean bag (like Lizz's), my on radio. New Kids on the Block tape and Debbie (tape) Gibson, Thanks. Anna M.

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For Christmas I would like a P. . Sparkal and some Nintindo tapes and some clothes and a real puppy or a cat or a kitten and I will put. some candy on my fireplace so you can have it all and a four weeler! And have a Merry Christmas.

For Christmas I want a B B gun with B B's in it.

For Christmas I would like a heman, and a gun and a car, and a man and a truck and a dogand superman, and a airplane and a Jet and I want a bike and a robot and a

Love, Unknown I make good grades and I am For Christmas I would like a good. I would like a ten speed, a crimper, and a Bouncin baby, and a computer, trampoline, china doll, puppy dog and a real one. watch, power pad, girl talk, radio, T. V., r. c. race car, a dress, and

I have been a good boy and I do What my Mom tells me to do. I want a Nintendo and a gold car, a

> For Christmas I would like to have a mini motorcicle, a new skate board and a lot of candy. I wish I had all of the Toys "R" us stores. It's nice to be Americain.

> For Christmas I wood like a bike for Christmas. And I wood like a go car Christmas. And want a car for Christmas. And dicod for Christmas. And I want a coat for

For Christmas I would like a barbie doll and a Barbie ice cream maker and a Barbe soda shop. I would like a bike.

Dear Santa, For Christmas I would like a key board for Christmas eve and my brother would like a scotter for Christmas and my Mother don't now what she wants for Christmas and my Father doe not now want he

wants for Christmas. Tony Ann Johnson

Dear Santa, I want a TV, and Ninjo Turtles plates and cups a set. Elba Tiger Rag, Super Mario Bros. 2. Lee English

For Christmas I wold like to have and scooter and a Litte Mrs. Dress up and so BK and a reain Deear and a Santa Sill Dill's and Hot Potato and a fish and some cand cand and a nintendo.

Dear Santa, I've been good this year. I want a head of the class box game, it's like a rock and roll guitar but P. S. If you can't get me all of it just give me the first two.

in a babys in some skootes, Hot Potato in every thing to.

For Christmas I would like these things. A kittin, some baderes, a pet turtle, and a checker broad.

fish, silly Dilly's, Hot potato, a stuffed rudolph, a stuffed rabbit, a

I want a John Elway Q. B. remote-control car, Teaco Bowl, Mike Tyson Punch Out, Major League Baseball, Scout Walkie Talkies, and for Kieth give him underwear. for Craig give him good luck in School and for Mom a Mr. Coffee. And Dad, anything.

have some toys, four wheeler, and a there's no strings, just buttons and a walkie take and a jeep and moke Nintendo Power shirt, and surprise. Jesse Reeves

talking doll and a Nintendo and a For Christmas I would like a tea walk doll and computer and a bean set in a little miss dress up, biclce

I have been a good boy, pleae bring me a ball, a ball glove, a dump truck, and a basketball Love, AARON HARRELSON,

Dear Santa. I want a big truck and a trampo-Love, ZACHARY KENDRICK.

Dear Santa, I want you to bring me a horse, I would like a baby doll, some Dear Santa, Love, ALLEN HERRINGTON, Love, ASHLEY CARNLEY, 2

Dear Santa.

Greetings

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the joy of giving and

the love of family and

friends this Christmas.

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this year divine.

I would like for you tobring me a and Robin, a Bat Woman, a Bat Raeann 4-wheeler, a Big Foot, a BB Gun, a girl, and a Bat plane. I am always a hat, a trampoline, and some cook- good boy. ies. I've been good most of the Love, JOHN DORTCH, 4 Love, TREY DAVIS, 3

Dear Santa,

I want a cowboy hat and some some surprises. I'm only 1-1/2 Love, guns, some Lego's, and an airplane. years old Love, EMILY BRADSHAW Love, DERRICK THOMAS, 4

> SUMMER STŘICKLIN, 2 Dear Santa, I wish you would bring me a baby doll, a baton, and some cook- Dear Santa, ing stuff. I am the sweetest little Love, AMANDA MAULDIN, 2

Love, TYLER OUTLAW, 4

I want a football, and a trampo-

line. I am trying to be good, really I Love, WILL RAINER, 2

bring something for my sister too. Love, REESE STRICKLIN, 3

Dear Santa, Send me a 4-wheeler, a baby doll, a cooking set, a stove, and a refrigerator. You know I was good. Love, LACY CARLILE, 3-1/2

Dear Santa, I wish you would bring me an airplane, a football, some games, and a farm set. Thank you. Love, WILL BARNES, 3

I want a Barbie Doll, a Barbie house, some Barbie clothes, a farm set, and a Game Master Nintendo. I have been good Love, CHRISTY EUBANKS,

Dear Santa, I hope you can bring me a puppy dog bike, a Barbie Doll, a stove and with it, also a puzzle. I have been a

very good girl, you can check with "Miss" Sue and "Miss" Diane. I LIZ LARSON, 4-1/2

SECOND GRADE

ELBA SANTA LETTERS MRS. CLARK

I am in the second grade. I am 8 power wheel. year old girl. I have tried to be Your friend, good all year. Please bing me: day Art bed, T. V., a go-cart, a ten speed dike, Hot Potato.

Vaughan Boyd

I am in the seond Grade. I am 8 and many othe things. year old girl. I have tried to be Love, good all year. Please bring me: a Jessica ypewriter, and walky talkys, speak and Math and Fun to drive a sports Dear Santa, car and your star and a camera, and abama Cheer leating suit.

Kendra Dear Santa. I am in the Second Grade. I am a year old boy. I have tried to be Dear Santa, good all year. Please being me: Merry Christmas.

Love, Chad Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade. I am a good all year. Please bring me: socgococ and bike, barbie, gold ring, necklase, go-cart, bike, L A gear.

Michell Dear Santa. I am in the Second Grade. I am

Angela Tillis Dear Santa, I am in Second Grade, I am a 7 year old girl. I have tried to be good all year. Please bring me, a keyboard, and a Teddy Ruckspin. and Barbie ice cream shop.

Dear Santa. I want a Batman and Robin, a I am a 7 year old Girl. I have I am in the Second Grand. I am Bat Copter a Ninja Turtle, a train, tried to be good all year. Please a 9 year old Boy. I have tried to be andsome more stuff. I have been a bring me: a walky talky, lipe writer, and a Tenspeed.

Dear Santa.

Dear Santa,

G: Jon. Atatri.

Stephanic Williams

some cowboy boots, a cowboyhat, dress-up clothes, a cook set, a baby I am in the Second Grade. I am a Pool Table GI GO. and a cowboy belt. I have been buggy, and a lot of surprises. I have 7 year old girl. I have tried to be Love, good all year. Please bring me: a James Barbie Ferarie, Barbie ice cream shop, Barbie doll, keybord, hot potato, and lots of orter stuff. I want you to bring me a Batman Love,

> I am in the Second Grade, I am Love, an 8 year old girl. I have tried to be Aaron good all year. Please bring my I have been a really sweet little Nintendo. Go-cart. Nintendo TYSON - ELBA 2ND GRADE

girl, and I want a baby doll and games.

Please bring me a baby doll, 7 year old girl. I have tried to be gun shells, a set of cars, a air force Hove you, ANDY some doll clothes, and some sur- good all year. Please bring me a Bike. Barbie clothes, Babby Hove you, WESLEY SYKES clothes, writing book.

> I am in the second Grade. I am a vear old girl. I have tried to be good all year. Please bring me a gocart, a watch, a new bike, a camra, Electric keyboard and lots more

Your friend, Katie Vaughan

**Dustin Stinson** 

Your friend,

Lindsey Jared

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade, I am Please bring me a car, a Big an 8 year old boy. I have tried to be Foot, a baseball and a bat, a gun and a Batman and a Robin. And B.'s, arrows, intendo games, and a micromachines. Your friend,

> Dear Santa. I am in the Second Grade. I am a 9 year old boy. I have tried to be good all year. Please bring me: ufo for Christmas and a football, a baseball bat and a baseball. Love, your friend,

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade, I am a 7 year old girl. I have been good all year. Please bring me: Auburn cheerleader suit, ten speed bike, baby grows, bouncing baby, office set, intendo game, and a little com-

Dear Santa. I am in the Second Grade, I am a 9 year old boy. I have tried to b good all year. Please bring me: wote a wagene, and a camere for Christmas. Your friend,

Ryan Jackson Dear Santa, I am in the second Grade. I am an 8 year old boy. I have tried to be good all year. Please bring me: a bike, and a fire, ball, game, in a drum set, in a key Board, and a

Dear Santa, I am in the Second Grade. I am a 7 year old girl. I have tried to be good all year. plese bring me: Star Barbie, Play Jewelrys, Babydolls,

I an in the Second Grade, I am a a radio and a pink phone, and a Al- 7 year old boy. I have tried to be good all year. Please bring me: a go-cart, trampoline, pony, comput-

I'm in the Second Grade. I am a Nintindo, miker masheends, ckor- 7 year old boy. I have tried to be vet, mesheingan, Nintindo, wolke- good all year. Please bring me: a tolke, mote kontrol rgetuc, miker- picture of a Ferrie. I want a lot and mashens, hiwae, Control city life lot of baseball cards, a Watch and a game, rill all fl Football, shareka- lot of basketball cards and I want a tac, the plamer, finers creepers. pump and a radio and a net.

I am in the second grade. I am a 7 year old a boy. I have tried to be year old girl. I have tried to be good all year. Please bring me: Spy vs Spy, Mege Mak, Skate or Die, Mag Max Jaws, super city tool box. 36 assored Micro Mag hifiers, Plymble off to slumber it is time to bug out.

> Littel house books, country crafts set, and clothes. Ho Ho Ho Merry Christmas. Love, Conny

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Dear Santa. I want a pool table, ring, P.J. Sparkle, Oppsie Daisey, Little Miss Makeup, Little Miss Dressup, bike, color racers, fireball games, Daybed, waterbed, Nintendo, Ntardy, VCR, TV, Baby Cabbage, Dolly Surprise, Little Baby Bubble, tel-I love you, EMILY QUALLS

I am in the Second Grade, I am a I would like a TV, Ninetendo milk and cookies.

I want Turbo car with remote I want a Txco hover, skateboard, control, 4-wheeler, new bike, new twin turbo trains. Nitendo bike cop. ear Santa,
I am in the seond Grade. I am a very old girl. I have the seond Grade. I am a very old girl. I have the seond Grade. I am a very old girl. I have the seond Grade. I am a very old girl. I have the seond Grade. I am a very old girl. I have the seond Grade. I am a very old girl. I have the seond Grade. I am a very old girl. I have the seond Grade. I am a very old girl. I have the seond Grade. I am a very old girl. I have the seond girl. I have the s

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Dear Santa,

Tim Reed

Jamey Money

Your friend.

Your friend,

ELBA ELEMENTARY GRIDER

I have been good. Please bring me a football suit and surprises. Clay Sutley

Dear Santa, I have been good. Please bring me a ten speed and surprises. Jessica Knight

I have been good. Please bring me a Elba Cheer leader outfit and surises. **April Beasley** 

Dear Santa. I have been good. Please bring me a bicycle. Love,

Jasper I have been good. Please bring me a bat wing and surprises. Jimbo Cook

Dear Santa. I have been good. Please bring am a radio and surpris.

Haylee Coleman I have been good. Please bring me a trampoline and some surpris-

Love. Josh Johnson

Dear Santa, I have been good. Pleas bring me a cheerleader outfit and surpris-

Love, Valiece Moore

I love you.

John Waters

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

Jerry DuBose

Dear Santa,

Neil Grantham

Amy Kirkland

me skates and surprises.

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

me sunglasses and surprises.

me a trampoline and surprises.

I have been good. Please bring

me a cheerleader outfit and surpris-

Love.

Lauren

I have been good. Please bring me a Bat Wing and surprises. Adam Waddail

Dear Santa, I have been good. Please bring me a biccycle and surprises. Tony Lee Smith

I have been good. Please bring me an Nintendo and surprises. Love, Dear Santa.

I have been good. Please bring me an Nintendo and surprises. I have been good. Please bring

me an Nintendo and surprises. Your friend. Corey Cook

Your friend,

I have been good. Please bring gear shoes. Your friend, I have been good. Please bring

Dear Santa, potato game, and the night before Paige Bryan Christmas video.

Dear Santa. I have been good. Please bring

Renee Carpenter Dear Santa, I have been good. Please bring me a bicycle and surprises. Toccara Stoudmire

Dear Santa, I have been good. Please bring me a bicycle and surprises. Megan Anderson

Dear Santa. I have been good. Please bring me a Bat Wing a surprises. Alan Head Dear Santa,

me a Teddy Bear and surprises. Oneida Davis MRS. STINSON

THIRD GRADE

Jacob Parrish

I have been good. Please bring

Dear Santa. I want a bike, and a Super Mario game set, and a dog, and a doll for my sisters, and a cat for my baby prother, for my Dad Iwant a suit, for my Mom I want her to get a Your friend,

Dear anta, fu game, and some clothes, and BK's. some hitsticks, and a pooltable, and Love, I want a foot, a baseball, ball new bike, and that all. and bat, nintedo tapes, Micke Ty- Your friend,

play gun, Electric super bowl, Hittix, Follow me, Football game, Dear Santa,

watch out, everyone, stomper is the pertect beiinin, remote control ror- game called Mike Tyson Punchout, sha, sports car, 6 pice plane set, Marter wheels, En grads monar. Thank you, Your friend. Mario Smith

Dear Santa, I want a four wheeler, gocart, Auburn football suit, football, ni- Dear Santa, nendo, Nintendo tapes, bean bag, poole table, dartboard, Guitar, Your friend,

Dear Santa. For Christmas I want a barbie Dear Santa, and I want my Daddy to fix the rust L. A. Gear. of my gocart and I want my own Your friend, room and a bag of dipers and a Martin

Jennifer Mills Dear Santa, I want a new born baby for Your friend, Christmas and a power wheel car, a Terrell bag of dipers, a bag of clothe, and a bean bag for Christmas. Thank you.

beanbag and own clothes.

Connie Moody Dear Santa, I want a gocart, trammpilen, Nintendo, swimming pole, a race car, palet gun, nintendo tapes, bird, play truick, radio, clothes, poole MRS. HAMM tabel, candy, puppy, shous, batman THIRD GRADE shiurt, batman tape.

Your friend. Erick Berry I want 2 Nintindo Games, TV, baseball backstop, more Nintendo Dear Santa, Barbie New born baby, Cabbige games is a must. Patch Kid, Elba Tiger joging suit, some keds, skates. A bag of dipers, Joshua Hodge Jazzie, Maxie, glass dolls.

Casey Henderson I want my Mom to come back, scope, and rifle with scope and a and I want a horse, and a train, and basketball goal. I want a good family, I want a coat, Love, a teddy bear, and for my Daddy get Hunter Hargrove home, come and see me. Your friend,

Jonathan Jensen I would like a bike, and keybord, for Christmas and for my Dad Iwant a nintendo, nintindo games Love, and for Mom I want a new bed Bryan Elliott room suit for her and for by baby brother I want a power wheel.

Dear Santa, I want a hot patota game, and a t. v. and a barbie doll and a Elba tiger jogen suit and a pair of L. A.

Crystal Johnson I want a bike, a doll, some play Diapers, some clothes, a tipit, a Hot Love

I love you, Cristy Houston I want a guitar and some hitstix, Brian Medders and hands down game, and a brand new atari, and brand new pair of Dear Santa,

Your friend. Deana Gilford Brenda Wilson Dear Santa, I want a pool table and a par of Dear Santa,

and abicycle tape player I sean one a Nintendo gane, some B. K.'s, a cycle and a game called crackers in my bed and a Barbie car with a bat-Meghan Lee

Dear Santa, What I want for Christmas a bike, pool table, 12 nintendo games, Metal detector, beanbag, Garfield phone, police 22 BB gun Your friend. Shaun L. Kidd

Dear Santa, I want go cart, gun, bike, radio and some B. K.'s Nintendo games, and a motorcycle, three wheeler and one hundred dollors, and a race track, a football suit and a football, a T. V, and a V. C. R., a Batman tape, Mike Tyson punch put Nintendo game Your friend, Keith Tyson

Dear Santa, I want a doll, and a nintendo, I have been a good girl this year. and a, Teddy bear stakes, and a Will you please bring me a Tenbean bag, and I want Biks, and a speed, a Little Miss Dress up, Oup-kitchen set, and a Barbie car, and a sey Dasy, Tapeplayer, Barbie ice cream shop, some clothes, and

son ponchout, key board, bookstel, Denise I want Nintendo games, I want a Sleeping bag. P. S. Remember Stocking Stuf-I want the nintendo Power Glove fers and Travel games. the Nintendo Gameboy and School Love, clothes and the Nintedo Game Bat- Deana Farris

I want a L. A. Radiers football, .. A. Raiders Jersey, sholder pads, Love, Drums, keyboarb, Boxen gloves, hellment, and gary football pants, small traplen, Red corvette with John Elways Q. B., Super Mario II battery, scooter, pellet gun, Auburn basketball, 49ers football suit.

Your friend,

Spy Hunter, Hang man, the cowboy game, real football, power glove, Mike Tyson Punch out.

Dear Santa, Please brin tendo, skates, I love you,

Adam Brookins her name is Maxie and Jazie and a I want a gun, biker, batman tape, new born baby and a bag of clothes and ear phoneset. I want a ninten and a phone and a new pair of do, racecar, a truck, a scooter and a skates and a scooter and a new bed watch and a go car, nintindo tape

> Dear Santa, I want a play boat, bike, football, basketball cort, gun, jacket, radio, pool tables and a football suit.

Dear Santa, I want a T.V., V. C. R, a bike, board and the game of handdown Christmas books, football, basket- and plus a kickball. I have been a ball, and a lots of toys for Christ- good boy. Thank you. Your friend, Sentele Ware

Dear Santa, Please bring me a 3 or 4 wheeler, a scooter, a real golf putter, and Shawn Smart ball and football card collection, a

Please bring me a Huey Helicopter Radio controlled, radio controlled airplane, B B gun with Elizabeth Godsey

Dear Santa, Please bring me a shoutgun, Nintendo game, a dragracing track, and a watch. Iwant a golf set, a koala bear, and a basketball post. I have been a good boy this year.

Dear Santa, Please bring me a Nintendo Game, stereo, Batman Movie, Bat-

man tape, and sleeping bag. I will leave you some cookies and milk. Blake Weeks Dear Santa,

Please bring me a doll, a braclet, a Nintendo, clothes, skates, bicyle, pocket rocker, books, games, Bigo, Camera, a ring, Alabama shirt. I have been a good girl.

Please bring me a BK's., 501 Blue's, Nintendo, T. V., and Bike.

teddy bear skates, and a beanbag, Please bring me a watch, and a and a garfield telephone, and my new doll, and a new ring, and a little pony sleeping bag, and little new radio speaker, with a new baby bubbles, and some jeans and a drum set, and a Babie car, and two trucks for my brothers. I have been good this year.

teddy bear skates and a beanbag Please bring me a four-wheeler, at Refco in Enterprise I want a bi- pear of Jeans, and a skate board. I

> Dear Santa, I want a Nintendo, and a radio, and a keyboard, a Play computer, and some candy, and a racing car, and some boots, and some BK's. I have tried to be good. Travis Magwood

Dear Santa, I would like this please: a nintendo, a bouncin baby, a ring, Auburn stuff, and a paint-n-swirl. I have been a good girl this year. Diana Jackson

Dear Santa. Please bring me a VCR, a Nintendo, a super Miroland 2, a VCR tape and lots of surprisise. Yours truly, A. B. Carlile

Dear Santa,

Shimeca Daniels Yours truly, Anthony Young Dear Santa. Please bring me a Typewriter, Roller Skates, Yhatzee and Kitten

Please bring me a Barbie car, a Barbie doll, a toy cat, a toy Santa Claus, and a radio. I have been a good girl this year.

Angie Crocker Please bring me a camera, a nintendo, skates, british knights, tape player, scotter, toys, bicycle, clothes and barbie doll. I have been

Teleisha Daniels Dear Santa,

a good girl this year.

I want a bike and a doll please, a play house, five books, a play dog, and keds and that's all. I have been a good little girl. My teacher has been good to all of us in her class this year. Annie Caldwell

Please bring me a Viedo game, and nintendo, and a bicyle, and a computer, and a radio, and a key-

Calvin Tyson Dear Santa.

I would like a Nintendo, and the Nintendo holiday game and a pellet fun, and the game Karate kid, which goes to the Nintendo. I have been good.

Please bring me a doll, Oopsy Dasies, necklace, clothes, books, skates, nintendo game, pocket rocker, roller racer, ring, Alabama shirt, and a bicycle. I have been a good

Please bring me a nintendo, remote control car, a new horn, a go cart, spree, four wheeler, prancer raindeir, rudolf the red nose raindeir, boots, and ,a sister, and a brother, radio, racing car. That's all I want now, have a nice week. Hoo, Hoo, Hoo, Merry Christmas.

PAGE 7B Dear Santa. I want some boots, BK's, candy, Oopsie daisy, spree, scotter, chalkcream shop. I have bee a good girl this year. Lakeshia



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Merry Christmas

With thoughts of thanks for your very kind support, go our hopes for a very special holiday, abundant in love and good cheer.

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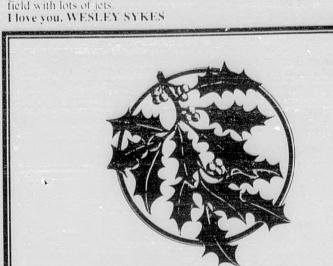
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an 8 year old girl. I have tried to be Dear Santa, I am in the second Grade. I am a good all year. Please bring me a year old boy. I have tried to be Spelling gide, a tasting-baking oven and Clothes and a Jacket. good all year. Please bring me: Power pad and Power glove. Love, Your frind, Dear Santa, With all good thoughts for a holiday of sheer joy and nding love. To all our customers we say "Thank You" I want a precomputer, a bundle We Sell Crop Insurance. of joy doll, backpack, dancebag, BOSWELL INSURANCE AGENCY

Sheena

good all year. Please bring me: drum set, keyboard, Nintind, powwer wheel, teenage turtles, sharchktac. SEGA, games, Boarbs, uno, ephone, Barbie Soda Shop, Barbie arly birds, Gond Fish, Operation, Ice Cream Shop, Lost and Found,

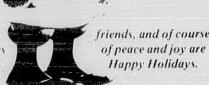
8 years old boy. I have tried to be game, telephone, my little pony good all year. Please bring me: game, a real horse, toy unicorn, lit-SEGA, Gameboy, Shark ATTack, tle miss make-up, hit sticks, girls batman, bike, Barbie soda shop, roller racer, hangman, and powerwheel, we will leave you some Hove you, JESSICA HALL



every happiness this Christmas.









ON THE SQ. ELBA 897-2457

# DEAR SANTA.

ZION CHAPEL MRS. JERNIGAN'S KINDERGARTEN

Dear Santa. How are you? I have been a very come to my house will you bring good boy this year. Could you me some presents. I want you to race car track, G. I. Joe's, and a toy car, play kitchen and book.

I will leave you some milk and cookies under the tree.

Billy McClain Dear Santa. I would like a easy bake oven.

another Barbie, Barbie clothes, and Love, Thank You. Veronica Riser

and a Robin Hood for Jacob. I want stove a guitar. I like your cap. I would Ashley Chapman like Santa Claus to bring Jacob a farm set. We have both been very Dear Santa, sweet.

Mehan Legg

Please bring me a bicycle, GI Dear Santa, would also like to have a red fire ing baby, a Whoopsy Daisy, a bike, engine and also a race track. I also and some more toys. I will leave want a bat man shirt for Christmas you some milk and cookies on the

that I can go hunting with my dad-

Thank you so much! Randall Brunson

Dear Santa, I have been a good girl this year. I want a jewelry box, t. v. for my bedroom, a kitchen for my playhouse, dishes, baby doll, and some I'll leave cookies and milk on

the table for you Christmas Eve **Emily Clements** 

Dear Santa, I would like a race track, some ghostbusters toys, and a train that jumps from one track to another. have been a good little boy. Brett Scarbrough

I have been a good girl this year and for Christmas I would like a baby doll, play make-up, a purse **Shannon Pope** 

Dear Santa, I would like for you to bring me a electric bull dozier, electric car, a hunting suit, radio with tape player. Santa I have been a good boy. And I will leave you some cookies and hot chocolate Thank You Santa, Asa Leverett

My name is Amanda Stokes. I have been good this year. I will Christopher Clements leave you some milk and cookies

when you come to my house Christmas Eve. And when you please bring me a bike, scooter, bring me a bike, playhouse, play post gun, clothes, a T. V., a VCR, I love you Amanda Stokes surprises.

Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a lot of toys. I want a trampoline, a Barbie doll, a Magna-Doodle, games and a tea set. I have been a good girl this

Jessica Flowers

I have been a sweet little girl. I wont you to bring me a big baby I want Oopie - Doopsie Daisy doll and doll clothes. And a play

> I want a radio, a go-cart, and some toys. Thank you,

Eric Kennedy Joe set with tanks and missles. I I want a play kitchen, a bounc-

P. S. I want a bow and arrow, so Jennifer Downing

ZION CHAPEL SANTA LET-

MRS. BROOKS KINDERGARTEN

Dear Santa, I have been a very good girl this year. I hope you and your elves have had a good year. I would like you to bring me a Little Mermaid hanging over the fireplace. Santa, doll, a ring, a necklace, a bracelet, a we'll have your cookies and milk princess costume, a tape recorder waiting. We love you. with books and tapes, a Make-Me- Love, Pretty Minnie Mouse doll, an Etch- Gina A-Sketch, a microphone, and lots of games and surprises if you can. Dear Santa, I won't be upset if I don't get it all because I know you have lots of For Christmas I would like: a Nin-

Kacy Clark I wish I had a race track, a train, Josh Carnley a toy gun. Please bring me a pair of BK tennis shoes. Santa please bring Dear Santa,

too. Santa I love you.

my brother, Desmond, a car and a wagon. Thank you Santa. Martin Berry Dear Santa Claus,

cream maker and a playdough Bur-tree. ger King set, and a Barbie and a Love. Nintendo and a doll that her outfit Jeffrey Boutwell changes. Santa I've been good and Amy has too. I love you.

6 years old

May your home be blessed with joy this season We welcome the opportunity to say thanks. WILLIAMS SIGNS, INC.

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Here's hoping Saint ick brings you and your luck and happines this Christmas.

From All The Employees At

I have been a good boy this year. I want a go cart, race cars, toy trucks, race track, remote control car, and a t. v. for my bedroom. I'll leave cookies and milk on Dear Santa,

year. I would like Diesel Truck, a toy soldiers, a new car, a radio, a Patrick Hussey Nintendo tape, and lots and lots of Thank you,

I want a doll, drum, baby bed, a Thank you Santa, billy goat, some shoes, a dress and Amber Hurd thats all.

Love, Samantha Nelsen Dear Santa Claus,

I love you and thank you very much for the toys you gave me last This year I want a Dress and Dazzle and I want a bicycle.

I have been a very good girl this for you when you bring my presents. Love. Kassev Rhodes

Dear Santa Claus, All I want for Christmas is a bicycle and a doll.

**Brandy Mehaffey** Dear Santa, Please bring me a shotgun, game, arrows and a Bambi puzzle. I have been a terrific kid.

See you Christmas. Seth Legg Dear Santa.

I would like some hits stix and a baby doll. Also a Barbie doll. Santa please don't forget to bring Mama, Daddy and Jason something nice. P. S. We have our stockings From Candice Owens

I have been very good this year. other boys and girls to give gifts tendo, clothes, a remote control train set, a race car, a Big Wheel, candy, and lots of other surprises. Have a safe trip!

Please bring me a bicycle, a pool table, some clothes, a diesel truck, a machine gun and some GI Joe toys and a pair of boots. I have been good and I will leave you For Christmas I want an ice some milk and cookies under the

Dear Santa,

I want a bicycle, clothes. shoes, swing set, trampoline, Barbie ferrair, and nothing else. I love you Santa, Shayla Mincy

This year for Christmas I want a Nintendo game, a bee-bee gun, the Batman movie, and cards. I also I love you would like a bicycle, some toy Nin- Amanda Ann Cooper ga turtles, a Mudbuggie, a basketball goal, an things for my stock- Dear Santa, ing. And I would like for you to bring my kitty "Punkin" some cat food. He's been good this year too. Love.

MRS. STOREY FIRST GRADE

William

Dear Santa Claus, I want a color T. V., a racecar, set, some clothes and some surpris- Dear Santa,

I would also like football uniform. Thank you, Billy Wayne

I would like for you to see if Seat, 2. radio, 3. Teddy Ruskin. Mrs. Claus could make me a little I love you, red fireman suit, size 6, some guns, Marcus Moody a keyboard, and lots and lots of surprises. I live at Rt. 1 Jack, AL. Dear Santa, county rd. 60. My name is Justin

Justin Lowry Dear Santa Claus, Would you please bring me a Dear Santa, Smart Start Computer, a baby that drinks and wets and any other toys 2. bicycle, 3. Bouncing Baby. you want to. I have been a good girl this year. Thank you.

Amelia Wallace Dear Santa, I would like a Bear that cries and a bouncin baby. Kristie Hall

Dear Santa,

I want a shotgun, pistol, Sega Hot Wheel car, rifle, parking lot,

I love you.

Dear Santa, I want bow and arrow, pottery, I love you.

the table for you Christmas Eve My name is Patrick Hussey. I Dear Santa, would like some lego building blocks and a Nintendo and a little T. V, also a transformer puzzle I love you, named bumble bee. Also Slaughter's mirage. I would like some G. I. Joe men named law and order, tun-I have been a good boy this nel rat, and beachhead. I would like two more puzzles of Megatron.

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa. I have been a good girl this year. I want a Nintendo, a baby doll, some boxing gloves to hit my brother with and a lot of surprises.

Dear Santa, I love you. Please bring me a lot thank you for writing me last week.

Ana Turner Dear Santa. I want some clothes for Christyear. I will have a surprise waiting mas. I would like a computer and a chair to go with it. I want a box of 12 crayons. I love you.

Tiffany I have been a very good boy. I don't want much just a go cart, bicycle and a football suit. Jonathan

Dear Santa Claus, All I want for Christmas is a four wheeler. Josh Mehaffey

Dear Santa, My name is Candice Owens. I am 6 years old and live at Rt. 2 Box 100, Brundidge, AL. I would like for you to bring me a Barbie Doll Rebecca Suzane Ward Shop, skates, bicycle and lots of surprises. Santa my little brother name is Christopher, would you bring him a guitar microphone set for Christmas too. Merry Christ-

Dear Santa. Please being me 1 Baby Bubble, 2 key board, 3 typewriter.

Please bring me 1. key board, 2. Morgan Emily Hodge scooter, 3. computer. I love you.

Dear Santa. Please bring me 1. rifile, 2. dart gun, 3. pool table.

Patrick Ogelsby Dear Santa. Please bring me 1. dirt bike, 2. 22 rifile, 3. jam box.

Robert Long Dear Santa, Please bring me 1. jam box, 2. typewriter, 3. chotes. I love you, Charmagne Boyd

Dear Santa, Please bring me 1. Barbie doll set, 2. jam box, 3. Walkie doll.

Please bring me 1, scooter, 2, computer, 3. typewriter.

Tamekica Ann Ingram Dear Santa, Please bring me 1 Bouncing, 2.

Baby Bubble, 3. computer. Jamie Langley Please bring me 1. Woter Pet, 2.

dart gun, 3. 22 rifile. Mathew McDurmont Dear Santa. Please bring me 1. Hiding Go

Please bring me 1. key board, 2. make up set, 3. radio.

I love you, Amanda Weed Please bring me 1. baby doll set,

Vanessa Renee Liptrot Dear Santa. Please bring me 1. bike, 2. Bar bie doll set, 3. Baby Bubble. I love you, Christina Stokes

Please bring me 1. Baby Bubble 2. jam box, 3. Barbie house.

Please bring me 1, jam box, 2. skateboard, 3. It whee, James Jinright

Please bring me 1. 4 Wheeler, 2 skateboard, 3. Motor Grater. Wesley Jacobs MRS. DYESS SECOND GRADE

I would like a Nintendo and a hamburger set. And a computer and a Number muchers to go with the computer. And a dolls hair that grows. And a flower making basket. and TO ALL A GOOD NIGHT. Merry Christmas. Love.

Dear Santa. Please bring me skates and cook and a pink ring. I've bin good little of surprises for Christmas. Santa thank you for writing me last week.

I love you Santa, Shaunna Powell

Amy Lynn Collins

Dear Santa. Please bring me a bike, I want a nintendo.

Dear Santa. Please bring me a go bot, drums, a car track, a nentendo game and a Your friend.

**Anthony Tony Thomas** Please bring me a BB gun. I want a Doet bike. I want a Ninten-

Dear Santa, Love. Tommy Lee last year. Dear Santa, Please bring me a big bear. A lit-

tle bear, I want a doll and umbrella. Love, Thank you for the remolt controll car. It is fun to play with. my

Chris Boswell Dear Santa Claus, Please bring me a Betsy Wetsy Baby, I want a Bicycle for Cristmas. I wish you wold give me a

sister likes it to.

Wendy Green

Ken. Thank you for the presents. Cristmas is my favorit year. Becouse you get to come. Dear Santa. Please bring me toy. I want Dol

ly Supruie for Christmas. Thank

you for the presents. Alexis Bell Dear Santa Claus. Sonya Smith Thank you for the presents.

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DEAR SANTA,

Dear Santa Claus,

have a snack for you.

Dear Santa Claus,

Carmen Ziglar

Would you please bring me Bar-bie and Ken and Barbie skates. I

cash register, dress Dazzle, and a

Zion Chapel - Mrs. Dyess

Please bring me a toy gun. want you to bring me a toy gun for Christmas. Thank you for the presents. **Durane Flowers** 

Dear Santa, I Liked what you gave me last year. This year I would like a Baby Bubbles and a computer and surprises, and I want a precious places. Please bring me a gold fish Your friend, Please bring me a big car. I want a Sharon Downing jump rope. I want a Nintendo. Bring me a race car. Bring me a

MRS. HUDSON

SECOND GRADE

Dear Santa Claus,

leave you a snack.

Glenda Richards

Dear Santa Claus,

you a snack.

Jason Spear

Dear Santa Claus,

Would you bring me a easel

with paper and a real cash register

and play money, real makeup and

makeup box and P. J. Sparkes. I

have been good. I will leave you a

Would you please bring me a

Barbie doll house, Barbie doll and

keyboard. I have been good. I will

Would you please bring me a

Would you please bring me a

Well you please bring me a Nin-

doll. I have been good. I will leave

Shot Gun for Christmas and a tram-

poline. I well lef you a snack.

Love,

snack.

Jessica Kelley

Dear Santa Claus,

leave you a snack.

Renae Dismukes

Dear Santa Claus,

Gregory Gilliard

Dear Santa Claus,

you a drink.

Kelli Calver

Dear Santa Claus,

Would you bring me two Ninen-

do gams, and A game boy and Ma-

rio Land, I have been good. I will

John Wayne Cooper Dear Santa, Please bring me a TV and a bicycle and doll. Daphne Jinright

Matthew Nelson Dear Santa Claus, I want a Batman toy. Thank you Dear Santa Claus, for what you have brong me last Will you please bring me a cash register, and a baby cradle, a keyboard, and a doll.

P. S. how is Mrs. Santa Claus. want a computer that you can program. I want a Santa Claus suit. and a Nintnedo and a game of Super Mario brothers. Your nal. Wesley Killingsworth

Dear Santa Claus,

Baby Bubbles.

Dear Santa Claus,

**Amanda Rainey** 

and a pair of boots.

Dear Santa Claus,

Dear Santa,

rabbit

Tara Grant

Please bring me a Telescope

computer, and Precious Places, and

Thank you for giving me a four

I want a doll and some clothes

wheeler. I want a Baby stroller.

Please bring me a four wheeler and

a play pen. and some toy doll.

and Please bring me a disk and

Please bring me a water bed and a color TV. I love my bicycle I got

Kristin Kay Burks

Will you bring me a Nintendo game, a tent, and a color t. v.? Lashell Marler

Dear Santa, Please bring me a Lego set. And please bring me a Nintendo game called Ninja Gordian. I have been a very good boy. Your friend. Justin Law

Dear Santa, Please bring me a nintendo. I want it for Christmas. Thank you for the presents. Your friend, Larry Davis

Please bring me a Teddy bear and I want some makeup and a Barby car. and a puppy I wanta play

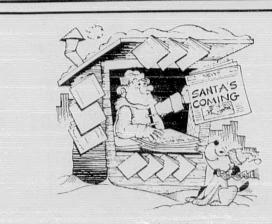
> stendo game, and a Record Breakers, I have been good.

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Dear Santa Claus. Hope you are doing fine. I know

prises have a good Christmas.

would like a Barbie ice cream shop Dear Santa Claus, and a trampoline, and a bike I will Would you bring me a Nintendo, Dressing Dazzle, and little Miss a automatic B. B. gun. Makeup, fuzzy Big Teddy Bear. Love, your friend, Christina Shuman Would you please bring me a

Nintendo. I have been good this year. I will leave you a snack. Amanda Bryant dio, Color TV, earrings, and rings. I milk and cookies for you. will leave you a snack. Dear Santa Claus, Will you please bring me a Vickie Ardis Dressing Dazzle, Little Miss Make up, Barbie and the Rockers, Color

will leave you a snack. Sabrina Allen Dear Santa Claus, Would you Please bring me a Nintendo a Barbie doll, Dressing Dazzle, little Miss Makeup, Barbie

and the rockers. I have been good. I will leave you a snack. Tia Flowers

Dear Santa Claus, will you please bring me a Barbie Dressing Dazzle, and a Nintendo. I have been good, girl I will be Please bring me a gameboy, and good everyday. carnov, bicycle, trampoline and a mario brothers Part 2, and a shot Kristin Lee gun. I have been good. I will leave

Dear Santa Claus, Will you please bring me a bicycle, Teenage mutant ninja turtles, and a record Breakers. I have been good. I will leave you a snack.

Andy Leon Howell Dear Santa Claus, Would you please bring m a bicycle, Nintendo, I have been good. I will leave you a snack.

Daniel Arthur Dear Santa Claus. Would you please bring me a Bicycle, Barbie, Doll house, Little Miss makeup and Dressing Dazzle. I have been very good. I will leave you some milk and cookies.

Jessica Hamby Dear Santa Claus, Would you please bring me a kendoll, and a Maxie doll. I have been good. I will leave you a snack.

Heather Faulk Dear Santa Claus, Would you please bring me a T. V. radio, a bicycle, and a Nintendo. I have been very good this year. I will leave you a snack. Kayla Eddins

you have been busy. I would like to I have been good this year. I would tell you what I want for Christmas. like a 30 30 off 6, Nintendo, a big If you can bring me these toys, a foot truck, and a shot gun. camoflage, a football suit, a bike, Love, Nintendo set, lego, and some sur- Jason Parrish

Josh Grantham Dear Santa. Dear Santa Claus, Would you bring me a bicycle, Miss McCall's third grade. I would dressing dazzle, make up, Little like a bike and a remote control

Dear Santa Claus, T. V., earrings, I have been good. I

do, SSR, and a Tenag mutun men- I would like a Alabama, football. leave you a snack. Jeffrey Downing

Timothy McDurmont Dear Santa Claus, Would you please bring me a bike, Dressing Dazzle, and Barbie Dear Santa, doll. You have been good to me. I will leave you a snack. Love. Melissa Boyd

BEVERLY MCCALL THIRD GRADE

Dear Santa. I have been a good boy this year, I want a Nintendo power pad 5 game and a Ferrari. I am in Miss Patch and I want a Beach Blast McCall's in third grade. I love you, from. Chaslania Boyd

Junior Jones Dear Santa, I have been good this year. I'm THIRD GRADE in Miss McCall 3rd grade. I would like Nintendo, Head Phones, Hand

Cuffs. Love. Chris Till

Dear Santa, I have been good this year. I am in Miss McCall's third grade class. I would like a new purse. I would like three new dolls. I would like Michell McIntosh some more tapes. I would like a pink tape holder. I would like a lot Dear Santa, of rings. I would like a trampoline. I would like a ninetendo and some nintendo games too. Say Hi to Mrs. Claus.

Love. Sherry Scarbrough I have been good this year I am in Miss McCall's third grade class. I would like a new doll and skate and a new dress. I would like lots of toys and clothes for Christmas. I

go to school to. Tell Mrs Claus Hi! set, TV, 3 wheeler, robo cop, plo-Amanda Lee Dear Santa, bike, a shoot gun, a K47, 5 dollar, I have been good this year. I am vcr, books, games, video games. in Miss McCall's third grade class. I would like a new pair of skates for Christmas and a new bike too. My brother wants a gun for Christmas. I would also like a B B gun. My sister wonts a new Diamond grade at Zion Chapel School. I ring for Christmas so do I. I want a have been good this year. Please power pad and a ninendo and some bring me a desk, toy chest, a kitten,

trampoline. **Fabatha Owens** Dear Santa, I have been good this year. I am in Miss McCall's 3rd grade class. I would like a Nintendo and Ninten-

ninetendo tapes. I would like a

do tapes and some skates, and a lot of surpries. Jenny Nelson

Dear Santa, I have been pretty good this year. I am in Miss McCall's third grade class. I would like turtle watches and turtle toys. I want some G. I. Joe men. I would like a Hot licks guitar and a little T. V.

James Henley

Dear Santa, I have been good this year. I am in Miss McCall's third grade class. I would like a new bike and a baby doll, and a new microphone. Tell Mrs. Claus Hi! Leticia Flouroy Dear Santa,

I have been good this year. I am

Homecoming Queen Skipper,
Beach Blast Barbie, Denim and

I want a 57 chevy. I want a boxer. I Who's Talking", Batman, Dirty also want lots of surpries. I will Dancing, some books and games, leave you some cake on the table. Levy Cole I have been good this year. I am

in Miss McCall's third grade class. grade class at Zion Chapel School. I would like a bike and a motorcycle, and a G. I Joe men, and a four wheeler. Tim Finger

Dear Santa. I am in Miss McCall's 3rd grade. grade class at Zion Chapel School. I want a real giutare, fireworks, bb gun, comic books, sling shot, radio headphone, and lots of surprises.

Chan Grantham Dear Santa, I am in Miss McCall's third grade class. I have been good this year. I would like a Nintendo, a grade class at Zion Chapel School. Donkey Kong, Jr., tape a dart gun. Santa I want a new 4x4 gocart and a BMX bike and computer and a

P. S. S. and a electric guitar. I have been good this year in Mathew William Dunn miss make up, Barbie Doll, doll, diesel. Also I would like a go-cart Dear Santa, I am in Mrs. McIntosh's third teaset, Barbie and the Rockers, Ra- and some toys. I will have some grade class at Zion Chapel School. Can I have a little Miss dress up.

James Cooper

go-cart, and a little baby doll.

Stacy Jinright

Barbie and Friend.

MRS. MCINTOSH

I've been pretty good. Also I would

like a ring in my stocking.

P. S. God Bleas You.

I am in Mrs. McIntosh's third

I would like to have these things for Christmas: House coat, Black/

red dress, fur coat, Bambi tape,

jeans, Teddy sweater, bedroom

shoes, lack dress purse, Bible, De-

nium jacket. And if you have some

extra toys I would like some please.

Santa I hope you can get everything

I am in Mrs. McIntosh's third

grade class at Zion Chapel School.

I want a mott control forrie car,

scooby gear, air baot, robo cop, po-

clothes, toys, and a surprise.

Your freind,

Dear Santa.

on my list.

Andrea Jordan

Dear Santa,

lice academy 1 P. S. AK47

Your friend,

James Rowand

my own T. V. and V. C. R.

Alisha Walker

and some surprises.

Your friend,

Carissa Walker

Cynthia Smith

Chasity Weed

Dear Santa,

suit, Big teddy bear, babby kitchen, ouppy dog. Nintendo game Dear Santa. I have been good This year, I am P. S. Thank you, love, Please bring me a bike, Ninten- in Miss McCall's third grade class. Emily Bryan go, turtles. I have been good I will and suit, number 14, an Alabama Dear Santa, I am in Mrs. McIntosh's third watch, a new bike, remote control car, go-cart, trampoline, Nintendo grade class at Zion Chapel school, I would like a baby bubbles. I would and nintendo games.

big kiss.

and ten cookies.

like a dress up and little Miss P. S. love, LeeAnn Ellis I am in Miss McCall's third gradulass. I have been good this Dear Santa, year. I would like a tasty bake

I would like some suprises. I oven, baby bubles, a new bike, a also want some fireworks and I want a race car track and I want a football and a football hellment and suit pads and all. And some Nintendo games and a Nintendo powe pad and a game boy. I have been good I want a Pocket book, and I want good. I am not kidding about being some clothes and I want a cabbage

Your pal, Dear Santa, I am in Mrs. McIntosh's third grade class at Zion Chapel School.

shot-gun, knife, jeans, shirts, goatcar, and some surprize. Your friend, I am in Mrs. McIntosh third Ryan L. grade class at Zion Chapel school. want a nintendo, a colored T.V., Dear Santa, I'm in Mrs. McIntosh's third Special Edition Anniversary Barbie, a baby kitten and lot of treats. grade class at Zion Chapel School.

Here are some toys I would like, bike, walkie talkies, radio. P. S. lot's of toys. Love. Timmy Green

I am in Mrs. McIntosh's third I am in Mrs. McIntosh's third grade class at Zion Chapel School. May I have A, Teddy Bear, Shirt, grade class at Zion Chapel School. pants, hair Bows, book's, dishes, like a football uniform, Nintendo games, stix, Game boy.

Your friend,

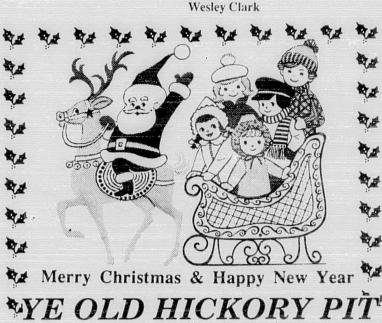
Josh Faircloth

Kendra Ward

I am in Mrs. McIntosh's third grade class at Zion Chapel School. grade class at Zion Chapel School Santa. want a Nintendo sistom, remot-I want a Nintendo, Barbie doll, Lit. Thank you, control Lamberginy, ghost buster tle Miss Makeup, Little Miss Dress Daniel Pridgen up. And lots of surprises. I wil leave you some cookies and Milk. Dear Santa, cie Adadmae, motercicle, Lego's, P. S. A big computer with disks. Lix sticks, 6 micro mechines, a

Christie Thompson

I would like a nintendo and nintendo games. I have been a very good boy this year.





phone, trampoline, computer, Special Edition Anniversary Barbie. P. S. I have been kind of good. P. P. S. And lots of surprises, also a ring. April Grissett Dear Santa. I don't want any think for Christmas. I am in Mrs. McIntosh's 3rd grade class in Zion Chapel School. P. S. I changed my mind, I want a moped. Love.

I am in Mrs. McIntosh's third

grade class at Zion Chapel School.

I want a gofl cart, nintendo, color

Dear Santa,

I am in Mrs. McIntosh's third

I am in Mrs. McIntosh's third

P. S. And by the kitchen milk

Ryan Balevre I am in Mrs. McIntosh's third grade class. May I have the new Nintendo game boy, a go cart that Isotoners slippers, hot pink jogging looks like a lamborginny, the Nintendo batman, and the Nintendo. P. S. Please write back to me and please tell me how Rodohe is

Daniel Hughes MRS. SUTLEY FOURTH GRADE Dear Santa.

How is Ms. Santa. I would like a few toys for Christmas. like the following, tent, tiapoon boat, T. V., and beanbag Auburn, and uni-

For Christmas I would like a trampoline, hampster, a Barbie Doll, 10 speed Bike, a Atari set, and a pair of British Knights. Ashley Nicole Olive

I want a keyboard, and Miss Makeup doll, and a bean bag. I I want Nintendo games, a dirt bike, hope I get it. I have been a good Misty

Thank you,

I would like a Keyboard, and a few clothes, maybe some hightons

Dear Santa, I want some British Knights, Bugle Boys, Nintendo, a trampoline, and some Air Jordon. I would I am in Mrs. McIntosh's thirc also like a skate Board. Thank you

Wesley Clark 教育 教育 教育 教育 教育 教育

My name is Alisha, I'm in Mrs. McIntosh's third grade class at Zion Chapel School. I want a super star

Barbie and Ken, a Barbie Farria, in Miss McCall's third grade class. Lace Leather Suit, the tape "Look I am in Mrs. McIntosh's third Here are a few things I want for Christmas. Toddling Twins, Cabbage Patch Friends - Baby bubbles Opsie Daisy - danceclub Ken -Dance club Koyla - Dance club Barbie - Barbie Dream House - Super Start Barbie - Super Star Ken -

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Dear Santa,

Dear Santa. I want a camera and a trampoline. I want some hair bows and some new shoes. I want some blue jeans and I want a Alabama sweat

have been a good boy. I would shoes and some extra things from

# DEAR SANTA,

Dear Santa,

Your friend,

P. S. And a nintendo!

Thanks Santa,

Sincerely,

Dear Santa,

Jason Jinright

Beth Leverett

Benjamin Pritchett

Sincerely, yours,

Your friend,

Dear Santa Claus,

Salena Shuman

Dear Santa Claus,

Amanda Sanders

most of all is a four wheeler.

I have been pretty good this

year. I don't want much this Christ-

Sincerely, Your friend,

Zion Chapel-Mrs. Sutley

Dear Santa, nintenedo tape. The End. Bruce

I would like a Nintendo Tape, Dear Santa, Basketball goal, and a lot, "I mean a lot" of Suprise. Toby Bragg

would like is a: keyboard, pair of with my gun. High Tops, hamster, and a cat. If Your friend, you don't mind I would also like a Casey few treats from you, I am realy looking forward to anything you Dear Santa, bring me. See you soon! Teresa Hall

Dear Santa, For Christmas I would like a Your friend, Nintendo tape, Ninja turtle party Rodney Flowers wagon, Official N. F. L. football, bugle boys, Denim jacket, Ninja Dear Santa, turtles, and some suprises.

Chris Archie Dear Santer. I want a telescope, a camera, a needles, thread, knitting things, a Micky Mouse watch, a Ingells camera, / with film/ and, glueand/ Wilder book colection. I wish you a tape. My mom wand dad wants a safe Christmas night. I will leave comoflage suit/for me and dad/and you some cookies and a glass of mom wants a poperry boiler. Merry milk. Don't eat to many cookies Christmas. and don't drink to much milk.

I would like a 20 gage pump, Dirt Bike, British Knight, and Bugle Boys. Jamie Hall

Laura Williams

Dear Santa. I wish I had a nintendo with Yours truly. Brandon Balevre

I would like a nintendo, a bike, a radio, and a watch. **Bobbie Flowers** 

Dear Santa. puter, camera that works, telescope, Your friend, maybe a beter trampoline, 50 cloths, a rabbit, new shoes, my own radio, books, a good alarm clock Dear Santa Claus, and a strong trapper keeper. Sincirely.

Jennifer Lea Girouard Dear Santa. I would like to have a keyboard, some Barbies, Little Baby Bubbles, Little Miss Makeup, some clothes, and shoes, and some other things. Thank you,

Danielle Richards Dear Santa Claus, My Christmas list is very long Dear Santa, but you could probly will get it. I want a nintendo tape, bean What I would like for Christmas is bag, trampoline, telescope, camera, a Nintendo, some camouflage and a gamebox for Christmas. cloths, a flying fighters jet, new Please eat sone of my cookies. Merry Christms. To Santa ho ho asking to much, well thats all by.

Cassidy Westmoreland Dear Santa, I would like a Nintendo, Reebright, will you bring me a few toys ox, Jazzie Barbie, Bike, jümpsuit, if so Iwould like a taypooon boat Christmas tree, Basketball hoop and a nintendo and a race track and a ball, a watch, a Cabbage Patch Kid, and a new church. P. S. Plesed me and send it,

P. S. Merry Christmas. Amy Eddins

a ninia Turtles.

Travils Woods

Your frend.

Joey Koch MRS. JONES FOURTH GRADE Dear Santa Claus, I wan't a gocart and a founnier, Dear Santa. I want a nintedo and a B. K. and

Christmastime

is Funtime!

me anything else but a fourwheeler nuch! senta please get the fourwheeler. Love, Your friend. Jason Slawson

Dear Santa Claus, What I want is a lot of stuff. I I have been pretty good this year. And I want a gun for Christ- want a Nintendo and five games I want a pair of Nike Air Jormas and a Nintendo and with top with it, and a go-cart, a pair of dons, a Jordon Sweat Suit, and one gun for Christmas to. and a stock-shoes, pants, shirts, Underwear, and a coat. I want a remote control 57ing full of treats. With a coloring Chevy and a radio and a Lovebook. That's all. Shack tape with it and a pair of snake skin boots. And that is all I Bobby Gene Gilliard, Jr. want for Christmas. Your friend.

For Christmas I want a four Lucas Grantham weeler to play with and go hunting Dear Santa Claus, with. I would like to some more I want a Baby Bubbles doll guns to hunt with. I would like some clouthes. I would like some when you squeeze her tiny hand candy. I want a jam box to listen to. she blow bubbles, and a guitar with For my Christmas present all I I would like to have some shells a microphone with it, and a pink and white bicycle, and make a meal playdo set, with ear phone set and some cloths. Posativly,

Lashonda

I would like you to send me Dear Santa Claus, three things for Christmas. An I would like a new bicyucle for Ntendeo, new pair of shoes, pair of Christmas and hunting cloths a bugle boy Jeans and shirt and Playhunting vest and more bullets to go Thank you, to my gun 4-10. I would like a hunting vest for my daddy and nintendo for my sisters and more nintendo tapes for them to. I would This year I would like a new like a doll house, for my little sister bike, a new 4-wheeler, and a doll- and a bicycle for my big sister. I would like a stereo for Christhouse. The things I really, really, mas and I would like a few ninja want is a typewriter, B-B gun, and turtles and some cloths and lots of a box of things like: scissors, yarn, little things.

Tim Cape Dear Santa Claus, How are you. I am fin. This year I would like a oppie daisy she crawls, cries, fall and get up by herself. I would like a bike, a neckles MRS. MURDOCK with a ring and a braclet all of them KINDERGARTEN with a cross, a Nintendo with the I would like two things for power pad, a ring with a diamond Dear Santa, Christmas. Iwould like a computer and a buch more but let them be I want a football, robot, a ball, surprises ok, got to go bye! Merry and that's all! Please bring me a and a nintendo. Tell the elfs "hey". Christmas. Your friend,

Amanda Ellis What I want for Christmas. Is a KINSTON SANTA Nintendo and a Jam Box to but LETTERS MRS. WEEKS

KINDERGARTEN Dear Santa Claus, I want Ninja Turtles for Christmas and a play telephone. My mas. I just want a Tv, my birth Momma will leave milk and cookstone ring, a game boy, and a neckies by the fireplace for you. le with a cross on it. I also want a Thanks,

Ben Bradley Dear Santa Claus, I love you! Please bring me a Baby Doll that talks. I've been a little bad. Most of thetime I'm good. I want only a few

things for Christmas. I want a nintondo, watch, ring, a mouse trap Dear Santa Claus, game, an electir key board, and a I will leave our Christmas tree sega game. I want a stocking full of lights on for you on Christmas. My brother wants a pool table and I'd like a baby doll that lights up when Dear Santa, you hug her. I like going to Kinston school. My Mother drives a school

Ashley (A. J. ) Carnly Dear Santa Claus. I want a bicycle this Christmas. shoes, a surved nife. I hope i'm not the been a pretty good boy this Cassius a new bicycle. year. I'd also like a Nintendo with Love,

Thank you, Justin Creech How are the rain deer so and so Dear Santa Claus, My Mother is a nurse at the hospital and I'd like a P. J. Sparka doll and my sister wants a surprise. with cars and ones more thing a re-

Ashley Hunko How are you this Christmas? I'd Love, like a doll that wets the bed and has a bottle this year. I also want a play gun. I've leave you a note on the Christmas tree. Nintendo tapes and a trian upwart Love, and some toys like a truck and a Jamie Stewart

Dear Santa Claus, Dear Santa, i want a piar of rattlesnake skin | I want a Ninja Turtle Hideout Please bring me a little Miss boot and i also want a Nintendo with a telescope on it. I'd like a Bag Make-Up, a tea set, and some and santa i if you want to do not get eyed. Ninja and I like you very building blocks. Bring Mama some slippers. Bring Daddy some shinny

prises.

Melanie Dean

over-alls for my Daddy.

everyone else a surprise.

Bring me a ballet Barbie and her

Mama flowers. Bring Daddy a bas-

Zach McKinney

Dear Santa.

Matt Blue

shoes too!

Thank you.

Sarah Lindbom

FIRST GRADE

Elba, Al.

Love.

Lee Holley Dear Santa Claus,

I'll leave you something to eat under the tree and please leave me a wooden star and paint it pink. I'd like a doll that cries and falls and gets right back up. Thank you, April Hawthorne Dear Santa Claus,

Will you bring me a play bull-Thanks, Deke Hawthorne Dear Santa Claus,

I want a bike and a doll for Dear Santa, Christmas. I'll leave cookies and milk under the tree for you and some chicken for Rudolph. Thanks. Brandi Nelson

Dear Santa Claus, Chad White I want a Nintendo and a real Ninja sword and a computer this Dear Santa, year. My Christmas tree is really pretty and your cookies and milk boy friend. Bring my brother and will be under the Christmas tree. sisters lots of surprises. Bring yan Anderson ketball. Thank you,

Dear Santa Claus, I want some GI Joe toys and some Transformers and Ninja Turtles. I'll leave cookies, milk and a bag of chips near the fireplace for MRS, BOWDEN Cody Sansom

I would like...HE man sword. Dear Santa Claus, Nintendo dlasjat, Remote control I want a Baby doll and doll Diesel. house. I've been good all year. Love, Thank you. Brad Keisha Wilkerson

I have been very good. I would like a bicycle and a nintendo. wreath for the door.

Patrick Nelson Dear Santa, How is Rudolph? Is it cold in the North Pole? I love you. Please bring me a toy shot gun. Bring my Mother a watch and bring my Daddy a billfold. Thank you, Will Mack

Dear Santa. I want a play set. My Mama wants a chair. My brother wants a Skyler Drury

Dear Santa, I want a skate board. Bring Mother some flowers. Bring Ronnie some boots. Bring my dog some biscuits. Bring my Daddy a Thank you, Donnie Sansom

Bring me some toys and a Teddy Bear. Tim Wood

Dear Santa. I want a bicycle with training wheels. Get Mama some shoes. Get Alex Wilson

Dear Santa, I want a play store. Bring Man some shoes. Bring Daddy a sho April Creech

Dear Santa, Please bring me a tap, and som shoes. Bring Jessica a doll. Frances McClain

Dear Santa. Please bring me a B. B. gun Bring Mama a gold necklace. Bring one for my sister too. Daddy wan a small bottle of shampoo. Thank you.

association we've enjoyed with you. Thanks, friends

DIXIE FORD

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VIVIAN'S HAIR FASHION Troy Rd. - Elba 897-2361

Dear Santa Claus, I love you. He-man Sword, Nintendo, power wheel,

THE ELBA CLIPPER DECEMBER 21, 1989

Merry Christmas, Happy New

My name is Roy. I am 8 year

old. I want a BMX bike and a big

remot control, a few goal set. I

year Santa Claus.

From,

Cassidy

Dear Santa,

Thank you,

Dusty

foot and some clothes.

Love you Santa,

boots. Bring my sisters lots of sur-Dear Santa, I have ben good. I would like a Rieden sabl skateboard, Nintendo, bicycle.

Travis Jacobs

Please bring me a dinosaur. Tiffany Bring a baby doll for my sister. Dear Santa, Bring slippers for my Mom. Bring I have ben very good. I want a Nintendo. Iwant a tv and ver. Love. Jennie Lynn Johnson

Please bring me a gun. Bring I would lik...a Sparkle Doll and Dink, Little Miss Make-up. Deweylania J. Crabtree Please bring me play money, a Remote control Big Foot, Nin-

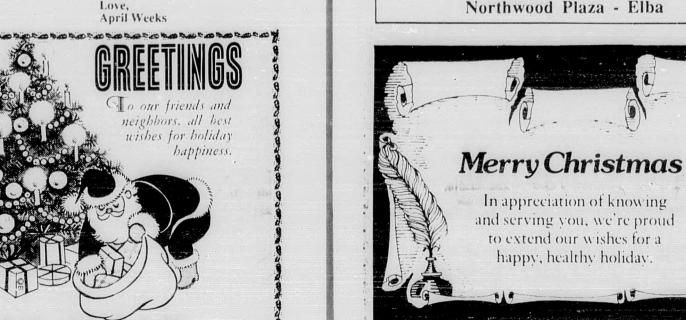
foot ball, a basketball, and my tendo. I love Santa. Mama some shoes and my Daddy some shoes. Bring my brother Jason Farris Dear Santa. I been good. I want a bicycle, I want a Miss Make-up.

Unknown I love you Sancta. I would like a Remote control BigFoot. Love.

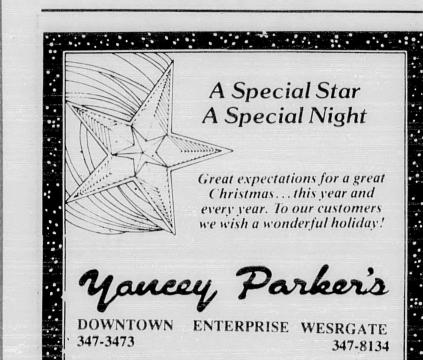
Adam Mortinelli Dear Santa. I like a dlock, dlasjat, Nintendo, target sword, Star Stage. Nicky

Dear Santa, I would like I He-man Sword. and I Nintendo. Love. Justin Wilks

Dear Santa, I hav ben vewe good. I wot a doll and a bicycle. I love you Santa April Weeks



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DEAR SANTA,

Dear Santa. I would like a Pladoh molding set and a Burger King pladoh set. J. sparkle, a little house that glosesthe Dream Barbie Dollhouse, talk- n-a Barbie puzzle. I've been very ing computer cards, a stuffed star and some surprises. I also want a from, Barbie Doll Ice Cream shop and Britainy Mobley soda shop. Love, Lorie

I would like a Nintendo, a case Kellen Cole of cars, a pocket rocker, Ghostbuster house and some men and so me Dear Santa Claus, I want a Nintendo. I hav Ben a Unknown good little glir and a surprise and a

pocket rocker. Dear Santa, Love. I would like some Stickers, a been a good girl.
Nintendo, a P. J. Sparkes, a New Love, Alisha Kids on the Block cup and some Mandi Yohn I would like a stomper car with Dear Santa Claus, surprises for Christmas. I went a doll and drum and bike would like a tool box just like my too and I been a good girl. Kristina

You are very. I would like a

Barbie Soda, stuffed anim frog, a

sweatshirt and many surprises.

We can sum up our

holiday thoughts for

you in just two words.

Love,

Renee

Dear Santa,

Tracy Green Dear Santa, I have been a very Sweet girl. I want a radio, a baby doll, a bear, and a surprise. Love.

Jessi Dear Santa Claus, I would like a 4-wheeler and a remote-control car and boas for Christmas. I want a Ninja set and some surprises. Charlie

Dear Santa. I love you, you are sweet and Kind and have a pretty smile. I would like a Nintendo, a Barbie Set, a doll and, some surprises. Love, Tina

and I wood like a canpothr and I I want a computer and a Nintendo with some tapes and a remote contro car and a race track. I have been good.

Dear Santa, I have been good. I would like a Ninja Turtle remote control race car, some surprises.

My name is Christopher Hines. I'm in the first grade. I would like a Shostbuster car. I would also like two Ghostbuster Men. I will leave you some milk and cookies on the Your friend. Christopher Hines

Dear Santa, board and a Pocket rockers and a Stickerbooks and a Aggriviation.

Dear Santa. I want a keyboard and a ball and a baby doll. I also would like a lot of surprises! Tilina

Dear Santa, I want a lot of surprise for Christmas, I want a Teddy Ruxpin Rachael

Dear Santa, Thank you for all the Thakes you have Don for me, my List I want a pogostick and I want a xoispander and some surprises.

Dear Santa Clous, What I whant for Christmas is a parbe corveat and a babe house, ken, Barbe, barbe, barbe cloths and a deak for my bedroom and a chair with it. And I will wright a thak you letter to you on Christmas eve. I have bean a good little girl. And allso I whant a computer, Batle

Veronica Kay Kinght And the Kinght Family

Dear Santa, I won't a 1. Minnie and Mickey sleeping bag and tent, 2. Maxie cheerleader, 3. Speack and Math, 4. Nintendo with some games to play, 5. Little Miss make-up, 6. Dress and dazzle, 7. P. J. sparkels, 8. A doll, 9. A dress, 10. Ihave been good. Love,

Dear St. Nick, I hope for Christmas I get a nife and computer, apple too, and a car wash, rase track. The rest I haven't desided. So that's all I no of I what for Christmas and I'll take some more but I'm not shure what it is yet, but I hope you have time to diliver all of these letters. So I hope you have a happy Christmas and tell that to your rain deer.

Josh Robinson Bear Santa.

Amanda Hart

I want a starro and a sleeping bag. And Wesley wants a big truck. I'l be good and so will Wesley. Crystal and Wesley Tatem

Dear St. Nicholas, I want a remot contol car, I want I won't Little miss dressup -n- P. good and other good things. Dear St. Nick,

Please bring me this. Stakebord,

ATAR and game please. I have

I won't a bick, I now I can ride

it, but I won't sumting eles but thise

I won't a cabegpach. I have been a

I ben good. I want a be be gun

I what a bike, TV, Nentnedoy.

and saetbood and doll and the taep

BatMan and I have deer a good

I have be gud. I wont a light for

my 4 wilr and a moack controll car

wood like Ninteno and a clock and

I what a new tendow and a boby

and I what you to bring me and

cat with it's tay and rmotmotrol car

a tela ligt 4 wilr and nife.

**Bobby Bland Robinson** 

very good girl thise year.

and clothes and shoes, toys.

Your friend,

Dear Santa,

Faith Odom

Dear Santa,

Lee Bloodsworth

LeAnn Griffin

Daniel Davis

Dear Shate,

Bodsshop.

Dear Santa Clolcot,

Love,

Dear Sant Cos. What I realy won't is. A lite

I will leav som cuc out. I wot a bick for Christmas and a big caethood, and one Nentenday, cotres. brite, and a baby bubbles, and a tea Jay Flowers set, and a electronic battleship, and a cracker in my bed game, and a

I have ben a good litte girl. I hope you well brag me some toys. I the game battlship, tent, Farm set, like you. I want you to brag me a Tyrannosaurus Rex, Bodd guy dipcoomd and a lite misse mackeup lidogas, good duy, computer, apple and dolley sprisez. two, moble lambergena and I want Bois Ball a lanbergena. I have been Brandie Lindsey Andrew Windham

I have ben a good girl. Taste bakery I hope you are P. J. sporckels fine and your wife please give me dis stuf please, dolley supris, little Ms. dress yup, cherry Merry Mufein, bike, computur, train and battulship.

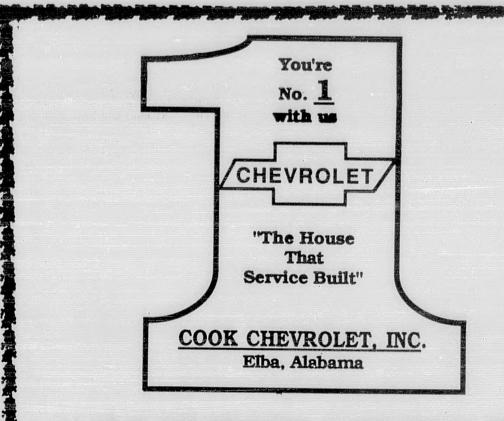
Dear St. Nicholas,

Love.

Cody



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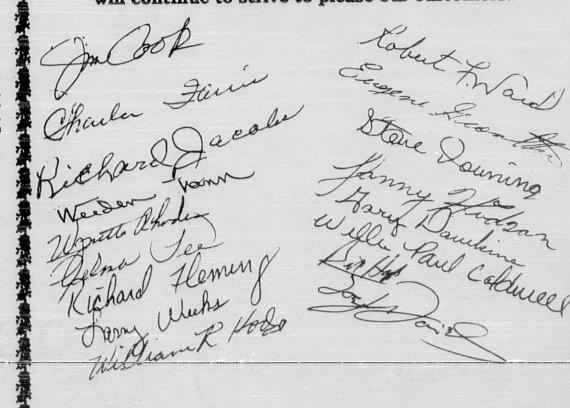


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season, and the very pleasant

The warmth of a crackling fire, the aroma of a Christmas tree, the taste of a candy cane, the joy on the face of a child. Love to

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I do Would like a skateboard and a Santa sled. Jason Wood

I love you. I Sparkle Doll, Dressing Dazzle, Little Miss Make-

Dear Santa Claus,

Love, Rachel Collins Dear Santa,

I want a nintendo.

Doug Willkerson Dear Santa, I would like Des and dazol, and

Jesica I have Ben very good. I want a bicycle. I want a stuffed poodle. Iwant a Early bird game

Jessica Lynn Kelley

and skateboard. I havo Ben vare good. I wot a bi-

> I would like a Edsel with paper, Love, a barn with horses, Shark Attack, Shawna Early bird game.

cycle. I ow a dlack p. j. sparkles.

Kyle Harris I would like Remote control hel-

icopter. Wesley Doanldson

ry, Bardie, Power Wheel. Brian Lindbom

I would like the new he-mar Ninja turtles, Stan Star Stage, Party Wagon, Wizard's hat. I have bad.

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

Luke 2:14 FRED'S **SPORTEES** N. Claxton Elba

SECOND GRADE

Claus, I have been very good. For I would like a radio and stereo Christmas I want a doll and a TV. and I want a pair of skates.

> How are the reindeers and Rudolph doing. I love you Santa Dear Santa Claus, Claus, I would like a bike and a Barbie four wheeler. I hope you would like a Nintendo. Here is my have a Merry Christmas Santa Christmas list. I would like a com-

Dear Santa Claus, How are your elves? Santa Rudolph and the reindeers doing good.

Santa may I please have a Nintendo game and the game boy. Jessup Dear Santa Claus.

How are you? I would like a Hove you. I want Dressing Doz-Skipper bedroom and work room zle, make-up set, pink purse, jewel- and a barbie soda shop, and a super dough snack shop, and a little doll. Happy Christmas Santa Claus, and Mrs. Claus. I have been good this Dear Santa,

Dear Santa, How are you? I am in second grade. How is Prancer, Cupid, Donner. I have been good this year. Vixen, Blitzen, Dasher, Dancer, ee you reindeer. I want a computer own computer, a baby doll, a Treas-wires and a new color T. V. or Christmas and a Keybord, and ure Chest, a lunch box, some Love, Nintendo game. I am seven years books, a Christmas skateboard, Jay Ludlum

P. S. How is Mrs. Claus? Julie Folmar

Dear Santa Claus, How are your reindeer and you. Where is Mrs. Claus? How are ou? I am ok. I hope you are ok BB gun. and how are your reindeer. Do you Love, grade. I am 7 years old. Here is my list - bike, and Nintendo. I will leave some cake for you, Santa

Krystal Hudson

How is Mrs. Claus? Please bring

Merry Christmas boy. I would like a Nintendo.

would like a Christmas toy. Christ-

skateboard. How is the North Pole?

I like Rudolph. Is he fun to play

I want a four wheeler? I want a want a football bag. I want a gun holder. I want a football suit. I want

I have been good. Iwould like a fintendo cartridge called Ninja I had a new bike. Bring me a more, a canputr. Santa I am 7.

Dear Santa Claus, How are you doing? I hope that ou are O. K. So that you could ing me a Nintendo.

I like your reindeer Donner. It's half of my Mother's name. How is Mrs. Clows? I want an new bike. feel in the North Pole. I want to go where you are but I can't. I want a cameboy and a computer

Dear Santa Claus, How are you? I want a Nintendo. I have been good.

MRS. TAYLOR

I have done wrot my letter to ou. We have a showmen in our class. I have bine good to my teach-

Claus is fine. I am in second grade. Charles Tillis

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa.

Dear Santa.

I wote a inted do and a bike and

I want a flower-making baseket.

I want an atare with a lots of

games and a lion voltron, a ninji

turtle frend ace Duck and a rock-

steady and a musnt nige turtle and

What I want for Christmas, San-

ta I would like to get a lots of Bar-

bie dolls. Because I like Barbie

dolls. And I want you too bring me

What are you doing am just set-

ing in my dest what do like to do.

Ma just whating to you come do

I wish I had a TV, Bike, Ninten-

do tape, shirts, pants, dog, go cart.

Here is my list for Christmas. 1.

My name is Vicki. I have been a

good girl this year. I have a list of

things I would like for Christmas.

Toy top, 2. Dolly surprise,

Roger Rabbit tape, 6. Bambi tape,

P. S. I will have some milk and

Princes Prom, 4. Bouncy Baby, 5

. little Miss Makeup.

cookies waiting for you.

Bycicle, 2. Bow and arrow, 3. 4.

10. shotgun, 4. Skateboard, 5. Lots

you like my letter. The end.

SANTA LETTERS

And a little lost and found Baby

clothes. Star stage tent. I hope

a game - and a football romer and a

I hope you are fine too. How are your reindeer and Rudolph. I have Dear Santa, been good this week. How is the Hollo my name is Cecila Dean. Joshua Northpole. I would like a barbie. Christmas is not the same is Santa doll, and a bike. Please bring me a Coules was not note hole. pair of skates and a pair of blue P. S. Do you no that I been

Your friend. Cecila Dean How are the reindeer doing? I

How is Mrs. Claus? I hope Mrs.

would like some skates. I would

How is Prancer? How are you

doing? My Christmas list - T. V...

Hot Wheels, Nintindo games.

Train set, Nintindo games.

leans and some shirts.

Tiffany Hawthorne

I want a prancer and dance doll. A barbie doll bath tub that realy works. Iwant a barbie doll and a oopsie daisy doll, a flower making puter. I would like a pair Hot Wheels. I would like a pair. I basket, potery, and a lost and found baby doll clothes and baby doll like a bike. I would like some Your friend, play pen and carrige.

> I want a AL, basketball and football with pump and stand and elephant, a bumpbed and desk.

This is what I want for Christmas. A cabbage patch preemee and I would like it to be a girl. A whopper play set. A curling iron and hair How are you? I hope Mrs. Claus is well. I would like a gocart and a Sincereily,

I want a Big Foot gocart with Big Foot body. And a toy firetruck. How are you? How is the North Plus a hot wheels car wash, Nintin-Pole? Here is my Christmas list, do foot ball game and a game boy. Comet and Rudolph? I wish I could skates, Rudolph, Game boy, My And a new controler that has no

> This is what I want for Christ- Basketball, cars. I hope you will mas. A Fancy Fun bike, child size come soon. Pingpong table. A new pair of boys dress shoes (I want the pair shoes Jerod How is Comet? I would like a Game boy for Christmas. Will you real pretty please). I going to go get a skateboard? I want a comput-Sincerily. er. I want a bike like Tate. I want a

I would like a baby doll, make- Love. up, big coloring book, clothes, jacks, posters. How is Mrs. Claus? My name is Crystal. I am in Second grade. How is Rudolph? Has he been good? I

Kaci Fleming

mas is 21 days. You know that. I I want a P J sparkels doll for would like a new bike and Ninten-Christmas and I want cheerlaeder do, a computer, a four wheeler, a Jazzy. I have ben good. I beleave in Santa because who gives a lots of with? I had a big day at school. It is

It's Christmas!

Merry Christmas & Happy New Years To All Our Friends! Hope You have The Best Holiday Ever!

**Robert & Martha Frances** Stephens



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# Merry Christmas



THE ELBA CLIPPER DECEMBER 21, 1989

NCE upon a time one Christmas eve, a young girl's dream came magically to life. began with the arrival of Uncle Drosselneyer who, to the delight of the children, came bearing gifts.

He brought a huge nutcracker in the shape of a man with a large head. But Oh ...! it slipped out of his hands and broke.

As the festivities continued with song and dance, Clara picked up the broken nutcracker and put them in her doll's cradle. Later that night she went back downstairs to look at the nutcracker, and that's when the magic began.

When the clock struck midnight, mice scurried across the floor. The Christmas tree began to grow and grow and gingerbread soldiers came to life and marched about the room.

Clara watched in awe as the mice returned and began to battle with the soldiers. The Nutcracker came to life and took command of the remainin

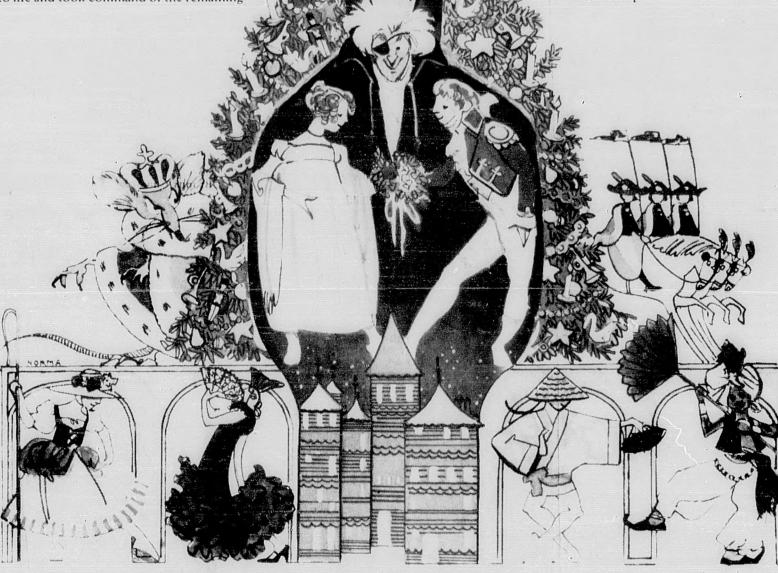
gingerbread army. As the Nutcracker fought, the Mouse King prepared to attack, but Clara removed her slipper and hit the mouse on the head. With their leader dead, the mouse troop fled and the Nutcracker turned into a handsome prince.

> The Prince invited Clara to visit his kingdom, and off they went on their journey to the Kingdom of Sweets.

> They arrived at the Magic Castle on Sugar-Plum Mountain, and were greeted by the King and Queen of Snowflakes. The prince's parents honored her with a royal pageantry of song and celebration.

Clara was treated to an amazing tableau of dances from around the world...candy canes swirled around and around, marzipan maids, tumbling clowns and sugar plum fairies performed in joyous fashion.

But as all good things must end, the time came to say good-bye. Clara slipped back from her world of enchantment with visions of magic castles and sugar plums and was off in a dream world all her own,



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Dear Santa,

bama stuff.

Chris T.

bama stuff.

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

Clint Anderson

Jennifer Rego

am an Alabama fan.

Rachel Carro!!

Dear Santa Claus, I won't a scoter and a flowers make in backet and a easy bake uven that is all for now. I love you I have bene a good girl. Cynthia Mayo

Dear Santa Claus, Please give me Nintendo for Christmas and a toy Batman, figyour whith the batwing and a real Bow knife for my dad and a toy troll desell thats all. macin gun a 60, and a 16 some toy hanbd granades whith a toy kife Love, and some camaflash. I have been Jason D.

Love. Jamey Anderson

I what a Nitendo and I what a trane set and a FM AM Raydeoh with sumer a Pfone not big Raydeoh just a littel one.

Jason Thomas

Dear Santa. I want a Barbie doll, a wopper play set, computer, mintindo, and games to go to the nintindo, a dance skirtl with AU on it to go with the skirt, I want 10 tapes, I want a litel Christmas tree to go in my room, and a pack of folders, 3 books, and dresses, a camra, a pickor of the raindeers and youy santa, and some gbells, and litle of candey, and dont forget a Donnie and Rosies, Plil and encything that you Your friend,

What I want for Christmas is a radio, bamebox, 55 taps, 100 tansfform efs, walkey talkeys, 2 hailments with a walkey talkey and a hole lot more.

Scotty McMahan

April Maddox

I want Baby Crissy, and a Bar-bie Burger King, and Lil Miss Makeup, and an Alabama jumpsuit, and a nintendo, and a Dance and Dress and a McDonald's suit and place and a precios places mansion and mother, father, brother, and sister and the suplies that they use, and a electric car. Happy holidays.

Dear Santa. I been good! Are you going to bring me some thing. I love you Santa. Iwant a baby doll. I w ant a A. L. start and A. U. start.

Dear Santa, I want a desk and a pair of paints and a shirt. Plues I want a babie and a cat and a dog and I want a pair of socks and a little makeup and I wont 2 games to play on my Nintendo. And I want a TV and I want a baby Crissy and Iwant

Party and a Garfield Telephone, a a some paper and a pen. Happy jump rope, Back to the future sunglasses. Little Lost and Found, and the doll you cut her hair it Love. grows back and Sweet Valley high. Myritza Dear Santa, I'm an Aubure Tigers. I will like

an bike, chearleader shoes, Barbie car, fur coat, Barbie clothes, Bardio, some clothes and shoes. But there's a lot of sruff I want but I have already got enough. I have my Pamela Jo Hilver parents love

I would like a pack of BBs. And I would like a for wheler and a Dear Santa, pack of drinks and a rost beef.

I have been very good this year and we put up the Christmas tree. Logan Pethick Oh ye I'm glad I did'nt forget to tell you but. I just wanted to tell you the toys I wanted a fourwheeler, I havebeen a good boy. I would darkboard, nersoidsm and a binglike a TV in my room, Nintendo bong, and a better let you go by,

with Duck hount, I would love to by, by go to fun house, I wont a tape Love, called The Califronia Rasans, ba- David sebsall cards, I want to watch
MTV, Transformers. I want more
G i joes. I love Christmas and you
Santa Claus and an Auburn football

Love, your friend, Macky McCormick

Dear Santa, I wot and nintendo with lost of gams and a foot ball sho and som

For Christmas I want a Nintendo, TV, a pet dog, a picture of you, a record, a sleigh, and some Christmas bells, a bike and miny skirt and I would lik a barbie, clothes, barbie clothes, barbie car, jean Your friend. jacket, playhouse, barbie house. I

P. S. I would like lots of Ala-Dear Santa, This is what I want for Christmas. A tensped bike, a computer, and a nintindo. More espeshalley a I want a bing bag set of make up. And a new pair of socks and cloths and a ring, and Love,

I want a gocart and I want a remotre controll airplane and I want some play trucks, and Iwant a pocket rocker and I want a 10 gauge shotgun. And that's all. Dear Santa, I would like a little miss makeup, clothes, money, Nintendo, Bar-

farari, necklace, shoes, Cheerleaed-I want a bunch of clothes. And a er outfit and Pizza Party. book with all the animals in the world. I hope you have a Merry Christmas. I know I am. I am an Alabama fan so I want a lot of Ala-

I wont a gocart and a remote controll airplane and a remote con-

P. S. I have been good. Your friend, I want a bicycle and a football bicle, and a Barbie doll.

Iwant a basketball goad and a basketball and some clothes and shoes. The end. O.K. Merry Christmas to everyone - oh oh oh.

I would like a bike, Barbie, Ken, computer, live kittin, key board, dresses, blue jeanses, V. C. R., Alabama dress, Christmas dress. Merry

I have been a good boy. I want lots of presents like a VCR and Videos to go with it. I want Sega cam, golfcart, goatcart. and some games and lots of surpris-

Charlie Driggers I want a vidio camra, a computer, a years suply of color racers tape, and Paula Abdal tape and blue (and color champs).Just get me sur-

barbie ane ken clothes. I have been a bad good girl. And Merry Christmas. I cant wate to bring me a baby doll, goodtar, drum, and I Love Christmas, I Love

for clmels.

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa.

Your friend.

Laleigh Adams

to Christmas were I can get my two

shirts and my skateboard.

Jessica Greathouse

ry Christmas Santa.

I want a B B gun, nife, compas.

meab, wach, gokrt, a big pist, Mer-

Christmas. I want a ball and table. Creola Mackie May I have a nintendo and Little I have been a good girl. I wirt a Miss Make up, Make up set. dollhouse and a batman and some I love you Santa, Bireb cloods. I wirt a Bireb car. I

Tasha Tidwell wirt a walk and doll. I wirt a Brike Dear Santa, I waent a doll for Christmas, I hose for Christmas and amxie doll OK for Christmas. OK.

friend I've ever had.

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa, I went a football and a roktrocap, toy jays and my pupe bake.

I want a Little Miss Makeup and Miss dress up. A skake borad and fansey feeles. Star Stage, Hang I want the Nintendo game ghost Man, Spider Warets, Clothes, Mon-Busters for Chrimus. ey. Barbie lik go cart. Barbie dolls, Roller Racer or Dragon Fire, Pizza

> I want a Bilse and an barbi, my Mom and Dad sed I can have an Barbi Car.

Dear Santa Claus, This Christmas I would like a ra-I want a bike and will you brig me a Big car sit that is Oal.

Dear Santa Claus, I want a been bag, I want a fun pad, I want a toy cheerleader, I want a chalk board, I want six toy elves, I want a baby doll, I want a new bike, I want a ring. Please bring them Santa. Do you love me very much. I have been good.

Samantha Ann Mittelbauch Dear Santa, I want a pair of Hitsticks and a bed tint I have bin getting A and B.

I will like baby close for my baby. Satna I will like a bike and a ball and a cat and a play car. Happy Chakeshia Hutcherson

I would like to have a ken doll, some new baby clothes for my boy parot beak, and Mega bors. Ther baby dolls. I would also like an overnight bag, some jewelry, a what I want mostly is a parot beak. makeup doll. I want everyone to Love, have a happy holiday.

Dear Santa, sheets board, for school, and I want I wont a Nintendo for Christsome clothes and also I want a mas, 4 wheeler, I wont a nintendo game, ghost busters game for story books.

I want a bing bag, clothes, ring, and a baby doll Jessica D. S.

Dear Santa Claus, Bring me a remote control car.

bie Sensation, Racoon Doll, Barbie Dear Santa, I wan't a radio and a lot of games and some of Steves tapes new sweet so sweet frinds. Jessica Lee

For Christmas I would like a Dear Santa, stereo for my new room in my new I will like a piano, 3 Barbies. Love, house and I would like tapes to go play money, 3 Barbic men, play . Eric Jones with it. Iwould like a Game Boy. I dishes, play pots, pans and siverwould like a bike and stuffed ani- ware, radio, tapes for my radio and mals and that's only to name a few. a microwave, pictures of baers, a P. S. I have been very good in pocketbook, billfold, doll with clothes, a girl bike, a chashrestier, chalkboard and chalk, play phone, and Mom a new housecoat and Dad a new Dodge truck. Happy Christ-For Christmas I want a nintendo, Love,

I want a remote control car, cowboy boots, Alabama hat and I want a remote control car and I shirt, a dump truck, bull dozer, want a radio to so will you please frontend loader, and crane. I want get me one. I want a stuffed animal peace to come over the world, a reto. I want a trick bike to. I want a mote coentrol motercycle and a repuppy to. I want a cat to because I mote control boat, and a racing car like cats. And I want a forwheler and a football. Than k you Santa.

to. And Santa you are the best Love, My name is Heidi. I am 7 years old. I have been a good girl. I want I want a shot fun, scooter, tv, a barbie doll for Christmas. I also ver, nintendo, membe minrhin, want roller skates, a cabbage patch kid, a teddy bear, and a new bike.

For Christmas I would like a I want a telephone, a piano, sax-New kids on the block sweat shirt aphone, a big doll house, a barbie and p. j. sparkles, Debbie Gibson car, and kitchen. I love you very jeans and I hope a telephone and Love, beach blast barbie, and beach blast Antwan Flowers

Heidi Seaman

I have been a O. K. boy at school but good at home. I won't a four wheeler and 100 dollar bill in Christmas. I wish you a Merry Love,

> Dear Santa. I want a bike and then I want a paer of skate and then Iwant a dog and a cat and a doll and than a suret

Dear Santa, Please bring me a monaral set, and some suprises. I am eight years old. My name is Justin Campbell. Justin Campbell

I want a Holday Barbie, a cat that is gray and white, and a Auburn, Alabama hat, and some clothes, and Betsy Wetsy and an lil Miss dress up, an the McDonald set, and the two seted jeep. Happy

This is my list. Iwant a toy car and football. I have ben a good to day how are you Santa, how are youre raindeer Santa, I hope I am good. Santa this is goody.

Dear Santa. I want a 20 nintendo gans, a gocart, a Huffy Expert bike. Oh also some drums and a godtar and all. Your friend,

What I want Christmas. I want a Nintendo, Puppy, football suit Auburn, toys, basketball. That's all. Your friend. Robby

I wish for a walking babydoll. and I wish to get save, and I wish for a babydoll that used the bathroom in her clothers, and I wish I could see you! Your friend.

I want a panow, and a thuck

think, and a little puppy.

Joy Bradshaw

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Dear Santa, I want a gocart, a dolly surprise. a toybox, and abook chest built together, and a red bean bag, and a New Kids on the block for Christmas tape and a new radio with a record, rewind, and a stop, and a fastford, and I want you to pick out

Make a meal. I will leave you some milk and cookie and a recorder and I love you. I want little Miss makeup and a cat and a doll set doll that bubbles, Bike, games, and a doll hair that grow when you pullup he arm and I Want a pur and I a talking doll and a walking doll. I weant a bike for Christmas and I want a gun for hunting, and weant

> Dear Santa, a sterio, Bouncem babby.

Dear Santa, I want a pe pe gun, intendo, gohbutst, and something for my family.

I want a tramborner, kebords,

are all sorts of things I want and

I want a Teddy Ruxpin, dish,

Anthony Deetion

Dear Santa,

a goatcart for.

Dear Santa,

will with gas.

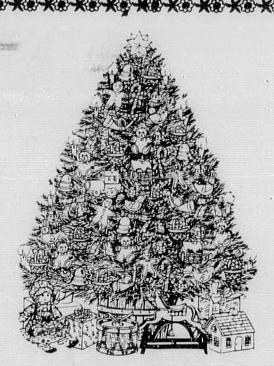
Dear Santa, I want a bike, a game for my Nintendo, a Precious Places thing, a Minnie Mouse Pillow, a little Miss Makeup, a doll that her hair grow when she touches it, a Minnie Mouse gown, a lot of clothes, a pair teachers the best, a New kids on the Block tape, a sterio, a lot of stuff.

and that's all.

For Christmas I would like a new born babby. Make a meal, Bar-I wot a gocot, also and gas, a for bi and ken with the car, trouble, Cabig patch kid, My Dolly surprise, Little lost and found, pejay sparkle, Sabrina Walden Dear Santa, I want some paints and a shirt with the new kids on the block on it, and I want the New kids on the block Christmas tape and for games

I want pizza party, mouse trap, Sweet valley high, Nintendo Paula ABDull tape, Bon Jovi tape, B52's tape. If you are out of New kids on the block Christmas tape that will be all right, just give me a different some glue and pony tale holders. and that silver bow that I saw in a

Hi, I just want to tell you what I want for Christmas this year. First 1st, would like a Nintendo, shoes, play 3 computer, and a bike, some clothes, . This is what I want for Christ- the game Operation and a little mas. A bike, 2 Lorrie dolls, ninten- baby ring and I hope I get a pair of do, cat, babie dolls, kitchen set with real earrings but I'm not very sure. dishes, telephone and a play house And that all I want. I would like to say Merry Christmas to everyone!!! Brandie N. Head



MERRY **CHRISTMAS** AND HAPPY NEW YEAR

FROM THE STAFF OF

Ferrin Cox

Linda DeVaughan

Faye Holliday

Heddy Cox

Marvin McIlwain Ricky Mularz



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daughter of Mr. & Mrs. James C.

Farris, of Rt. 1, Kinston, the Quake

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# A Step Back In Time - 1989 In Review

on the front pages of The Elba

#### JANUARY

January 5 - An Elba man, Da-Eve, 1986, has filed a one million being done state-wide. dollar lawsuit against the city and county officials. No court date has been set concerning the suit.

afternoon, January 6, when a fire non and 2-year-old son Ryan, live elderly man screaming for help as field Oil Co. the fire spread, but all efforts to save him were prevented by the

shown in me, " Comm. Eagerton sults they wanted. told the commissioners, " and I will do my best to live up to those ex-

January 26 - William Scarbrough was named building inspector for the city of Elba. The city has been without an official inspector for several years. Moore said. "It is time to start enforcing the building code."

#### **FEBRUARY**

February 2 - The Alabama Legislature will begin its regular session on Tuesday February 7 and according to Representative Jimmy Holley the legislators should be in agreement over the need to pass a budget that all state agencies could

February 9 - Willie Simmons old junior at Elba High School. "Billy Boy" Jackson, age 38, was found guilty of capital murder in the death of 87-year-old Elmo Roberts and also four counts of forgery second degree. Judge McAliley will announce his sentence at the city's auditors and made a motion

Board listens as over 75 eleventh examiner's department. grade students and parents voice their displeasure with administrative decisions concerning the location of the annual junior-senior prom. The Group was upset over the choice of locations the juniors were given for holding the prom and what they perceived as a poor attitude of cooperation from the administration and some of the junior sponsors.

Cobb and Patrick Norris answered thorities.

### MARCH

state to close" Rowe Bridge", the Pool told the commission that the project. state highway experts recommended the bridge be closed immediate-

the Frisco Community was com- two-hours earlier. Coffe County AUGUST

time to review some of the events across the county and then caused located six-miles north of Elba on ty-hours and was the cause of a which topped the \$4 million mark. of the year as they were recorded heavy damage in Pike County. Highway 87, at approximately 100 massive manhunt, found his way There was no one injured in the a.m. and immediately cordoned off out of a wooded area inside the city mobile home - the occupants had the area. left earlier because of the threat of severe weather.

March 23 - James Gibbs, age 25, of Elba is among several men missing following an explosion and January 12 - A 70 year-old fires aboard two offshore drilling Elba man, Robert Timothy Gray, platforms in the Gulf of Mexico on died from smoke inhalation Friday Sunday night. Gibbs' wife, Shanswept through his brick home locat- in Elba, as does his father Douglas. ed on Taylor Mill Road. Witnesses A brother, Billy Gibbs, also works at the scene reported hearing the for the same firm, Atlantic Rich-

March 30 - A lawsuit was filed by 42 former employees of Dorsey who were not among the rehired in January 19 - The Coffee March 1987 when the trailer manu-County Commission met in a spe- facturing firm was purchased as a cial adjourned meeting on Monday, spin-off from the parent company. January 16, at the courthouse in The suit claims the workers ap-Elba and elected Billy Eagerton as pealed their problem to the local the commission's new chairman. "I union office and also to the national appreciate the confidence you have headquarters, but didn't get the re-

April 6 - The New Brockton City Council met on Monday night, April 3, at City Hall and again discussed possible problems in the man Laymon Tindol told the mayor and council that patrolman Jerry Gilbert was released after a state agency questioned the legality of his employment, but reported there was a vacancy in an upcoming police academy set to begin April 17 and recommended that Gilbert be re-employed effective April 16 and he be sent to the academy.

April 13 - The annual Miss Elba pageant was held on Saturday, April 8, at the Elba High School auditorium and crowned as Miss Elba 1989 was Sheila Nelson, a 17-year-

April 20 - Alleged mishandling of funds prompts meeting with auditors in New Brockton. Councilman Lee expressed no faith in the that a state audit be conducted of city funds either through the state February 16 - Elba School auditor's office or through the state

> week by the United States Postal various city officials made offers in on himself. Service for completing the second an attempt to persuade the commisquarter of fiscal year 1989 without sion to construct a new County Jail experiencing an accident during in their city. city or rural delivery.

dition and out of a Dothan hospital who escaped early Friday morning, this week after being stabbed in the after vaulting over a 12-foot fence chest Friday night while attempting surrounding the facility, apparently to make an arrest. According to decided after 24-hours on the run Elba Police Chief Freddie Han- that he had enjoyed all the freedom chey, a caller had reported a do- he could stand as he made his mestic disturbance at Razoo's, a whereabouts known in the prenightspot in the Mullberry Heights dawn hour Saturday morning and section of Elba, and officers Dale turned himself in to Elba police au- in Elba and by a 1/2 cent county- from the utility.

May 11 - Generating electricity at the Elba hydro plant was again on the agenda for the Elba City Council Monday evening as Mr. March 2 - Commission told by James Chunney, of Pea River Associates, updated the group on his county's only wooden still open to progress in getting the federal pertraffic. It failed to meet minimum mits and licenses reactivated to alstandards. County engineer Mark low work to move forward on the

May 18 - The body of Retha ly and Pool made the same recom- Mae Hines, age 49, was discovered Friday morning, May 12, by a ers that deliver the food item March 9 - A mobile home lo- daughter who had spoken to the cated in north Coffee County near victim on the telephone was than

May 25 - Alabama Governor Guy Hunt announced last week that August 10 - The New Brockton Thursday night, October 5. She is March 16 - Chemical technihe had authorized a \$10,000 reward City Council met on Monday night, the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Larry vid Stinson, who was allegedly at- cians conduct inspection of labs at for information "Leading to the ar- August 14, at City Hall and gave Grantham. tacked by an inmate at the Coffee Elba City Schools looking for im- rest and conviction of the guilty unanimous approval to a suggestion County Jail following his arrest on properly stored, outdated or unla- person or persons involved in the that the New Brockton Senior Citimisdemeanor charges on Christmas beled hazardous chemicals. This is robbery/murder" of Retha Mae zen Center be renamed the "Annie County Department of Human Re-Hines on May 12.

June 1 - Vietnam Vets Honored A "Memorial Day" ceremony was held on Monday, May 29, 1989, at Chief Hanchey, Elba police re-zens of Coffee County. ed on the grounds of the National Security Insurance Company to ing the Vietnam Era.

mated 450 people, took part in last River. The rides were sponsored by ing death. SEABASS and donations were accepted to help revitalize the river.

Freddie Hanchey reported that the sion was in Coffee County Monday Elba Police Department received a afternoon to judge the skills of varicall at 10:15 p.m., Monday night, ous county emergency agencies and complices on Monday night.

June 22 - State Supt. of Educa- truck. tion Dr. Wayne Teague released the 1989 results of Alabama's statewide testing program recently and ac- Commission in regular session on cording to officials in the Elba City Monday, August 28, at the court-School System, the results of the house in Elba, and upon the advice

ing its construction were the main between \$15,000 - \$20,000. topics Monday, June 26, when the Coffee County Commission gathered in regular session in the courthouse in Enterprise. "I feel I must oppose any additional sales tax," said Mayor Fred Moore.

July 6 - The Coffee County

City Council. Lee invited the city was diagnosed promptly. fathers to a half day solid waste management workshop in Ozark on

Monday, July 17, at the courthouse accept a \$500 per month check wide sales tax and to use the funds from the tax to construct a new County Jail in New Brockton. The County Commission met in regular tomatically, be withdrawn.

pany would be known as Kelley sign. Foods of Alabama, Inc. At the present time Kelley Foods of Alabama, Inc., employs 70 full-time OCTOBER workers, including eight truck driv-

limits early Tuesday morning and Grantham, Little Miss Elba, placed was second runner-up in the Little was reported to be in good health.

Mae Waters Senior Citizen Cen- sources has released its monthly ter," in honor of the center's direc- bulletin for September and in the tor. Mrs. Waters, who was reported monthly report county director Ron to be critically ill, had served as the Smith stated that while the departcenter's director until the time of ment was continuing to receive aid

the Veterans' Memorial Park locat-sponded to a request for a rescue squad unit on Saturday morning, Aug. 12, at 11:32 a.m., at a resihonor the soldiers from Coffee dence on West Street and discov- the hearts of people across the na-County that served the nation dur- ered Chris Tyson, age 16, dead in tion, even though the scenes in San his bed, apparently from a gunshot Francisco and Lakeland seemed wound to the head. After a com- like little more than a horror movie June 8 - Large crowds, an esti- plete investigation, Tyson's 15year-old brother was taken into cus-dent Deborah Farris Vaughan, the weekend's "River Rides" on the Pea tody in connection with the shoot-

August 24 - Coffee County passes disaster drill - The Alabama June 15 - Elba Police Chief Emergency Management Commis-87 that involved an accident be-

August 31 - The Coffee County testing revealed that local students of County Attorney Warren Rowe administrator. He began his duties were at or above the state and na-took no action on a request from on October 16. Mobley is a lifelong tional average in almost all areas three members of the Coffee resident of Coffee County and re-County Sheriff's Department who sides in the Victoria Community fee County Department of Human are seeking overtime pay for almost where he was born and raised. June 29 - Federal Judge gives 2,000 hours worked in recent years. 60 days - The need for a new The total amount requested by the county jail and a method of financ- three, at time and one-half, totals

#### SEPTEMBER

September 7 - A domestic disturbance at 811 Kennedy Estates in Elba on Monday night, Sept. 4, apparently resulted in a shooting that left one dead and another in critical condition. While at the location, Randy Walton, age 22, took a ser-Commission met in special session vice weapon from an Elba police April 27 - Employees of the on Thursday, June 29, at the court- officer and fatally shot Janet Lock-Elba Post Office were honored last house in Enterprise and listened as ett, age 27, before turning the gun

"Lime Disease" was reported in Coffee County last week and while July 13 - Elba City Council told the victim is reported to be well on financial future may be bleak for his way to recovery, Elba physician for cities and counties in landfill Dr. Henry Cochran warned that the business. "Landfills could cost as disease can be deadly. The case re-May 4 - A 19-year-old inmate at much as \$100,000 an acre within a ported involved a 17-year-old male officer, Dale Cobb, is in good con- the Coffee County Jail, in Elba, few years", Larry Lee told the Elba living in the Jack Community and September 21 - Elba Mayor

Fred Moore, who also serves as Superintendent of the Water & Elec-July 20 - The Coffee County tric Department, said last Thursday Commission in special session on afternoon he was again declining to September 28 - The Coffee

sales tax will be in effect only until session on Monday, Sept. 25, at the the construction cost of the jail is courthouse in Elba and voted to paid, at which time the tax will au- employ an Enterprise firm to design plans for a new county jail to be constructed in New Brockton. July 27 - Officials at the Elba The jail, which carries a price tag Packing Company have announced of \$3 million, includes cells for up that effective July 1, 1989, the com- to 125 inmates and is cicular in de-

-October 5 - The Elba City Board of Education met in a special session on Tuesday, September 26 and adopted a \$3.7 million budge

As 1989 slips into the past, we pletely destroyed Sunday night by a Sheriff's Dept. authorities reported August 3 - A 72-year-old Elba for the 1989-90 fiscal year. The the First Assembly of God Church take a look back in time. We take tornado that apparently skipped that they were called to the scene, man who was missing for over for-

> School Board handled a "hot potatoe" last week when a group of school bus drivers presented the board with a typed, signed statement charging, among other things, that the school buses were unsafe. This newspaper reviewed the official report of the inspection and found no problems except some

October 19 - The Coffee clearance lights not burning. November 30 - The Elba City Council approved a complete revamping of the city licensing schedule with increases in the catagories and minor changes in the wording of troublesome sections. sion, additional work and space August 17 - According to Police was needed to better serve the citi-The effective date for the new

schedule is January 1, 1990. October 26 - Last week's tragic DECEMBER

#### earthquake in California touched

December 7 - The Elba Tiger football team, State 3A Champions, were presented their trophy by "Bubba" Scott, of the Alabama High School Athletic Association, Tuesday afternoon, December 7 before a complete assembly of Elba High School students and parents. The Tigers defeated T. M. Rogers by a score of 14 - 0 in Green Hill, Alabama to become the state cham-

November 2 - Dignitaries from December 14 - The dedication that a burglary was in progress at reported after the drill that all agenthe SouthTrust Bank, located at cies passed state requirements. To day, October 27, along with rela-Collier Street, in Elba. The Peoples lest the area agencies, a mock distives and a host of friends to pay Release Facility on Friday after-Bank, located only one block away aster was staged near the old Da- tribute to Judge Eris F. Paul who noon, December 8. at 1 p.m. At the on Claxton Avenue, was also hit by mascus School grounds at the ineither the same burglars or their acterisection of Co. Road 43 and Hwy. ber 25. In the words of Dr. Doug that will be permanently affixed to Dortch, pastor of First Baptist the chapel wall was unveiled by Paul, thy good and faithful ser-

front page was Elba's 1989 Christ-November 9 - Wilson Mobley, mas Family, The Benbows Jeff, Jr. was hired by the Coffee County Gena, Malissa, age 11, Emilee, age Commission to be the new county 7, and Alex, age 2.

December 28 - Once again, Op-Resources was a success as Glenda Snipes and her helpers, Dougie November 16 - Annual "Turkey Marler and Johnny "The Voice" Walk" for the benefit of the Ameri- Gilbert, brought smiles to faces as can Heart Fund was held last Satur- they passed out packages containday morning with headquarters at ing toys and other goodies.

